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We are delighted to welcome everybody to the CR MOT Community Stadium at the Lamb today, especially our visitors who have made the 190 miles journey from Lowestoft. We trust the players, supporters and officials of the Trawler Boys enjoy the hospitality offered to them today and have a safe journey home following the game.

For Tamworth it is a chance to build on the much improved performance against Coalville Town on Tuesday evening, while The Trawler Boys are looking for their first points of the campaign.

Following the game on Tuesday evening Joint Manager Gary Smith could not hide his pride at the way Tamworth responded to the poor performance at Royston last Saturday. "To say I'm proud is an understatement, I'm proud of every single player for their effort, desire, character and spirit to come back from the one goal deficit. To score an equaliser the way we did, what a fantastic strike from Jack Concannon".

Although Coalville had the better of the first 20 mins, it was Tamworth who held the upper hand for the rest of the game with Jack Concannon scoring a stunning 25 yards strike. Some of the team were playing despite not being fully fit due to injury, and Lucas Yeomans showed that he is ready for this standard of football with a confident and assured performance at right back, only coming into the team at the last minute after Chris Cox had to pull out in the warm up. No doubt a few players have caused the management team a selection headache for today's game! The Lambs and Trawler Boys have played each other 9 times in competitive fixtures with Tamworth winning 5 times. The last time the teams met was on 30 Nov 2019 and Tamworth ran out 3 - 1 winners with goals from Ryan Beswick (2), Tyrelle Waite and Rhys Hoenes.

We are looking forward to an entertaining game today so please raise your voices for the Lambs as we look for our first maximum points today.

Don't forget that our match against Nuneaton Borough on Bank Holiday Monday is a 1.00pm kick off and tickets must be purchased from our online ticketing site as there will be no cash turnstiles open on the day.

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TAMWORTH FC 1-1 ROYSTON TOWN

The Lambs first home game of the 2021-22 season saw The Ravens visit the CR MOT Centre Community Stadium with Tamworth looking to bounce back following the opening day defeat away at Royston, while the visitors had started their campaign with a 3-1 home win over Stratford Town.

Aaron Forde returned to the starting eleven following injury, along with striker Tyrell Waite and new signing from Chesterfield James Kellerman in midfield.

Coalville kicked off the first competitive game under the new floodlights with Tamworth attacking the Meadow Street End in the first half and Tamworth went on the attack with Forde looking for an early run by Waite.

At the other end Berridge made his way down the left on 4, through the Lambs right and into the box but his low cross was cut out by a combination of the Lambs back two.

Yeomans nipped the ball off the feet of Shaw on 7 as he ran onto a through ball from Doyle-Charles and from the left sided flagkick Creaney and Forde booted the danger away over the half way line.

ON 8, McGlinchey fed Berridge down the right and the latter fired a low shot which Singh parried behind for a right sided corner which Singh punched away but it was picked up by McGlinchey and he fired low for Singh to drop and smother.

McGlinchey struck another low shot from 20 yards on 12 which was easy for Singh to gather and the keeper was called into action again when Berridge and McGlinchey combined for the latter to shoot at the near post and from the corner Doyle-Charles headed off target.

Pendley was adjudged to have brought down Berridge on the right on 18 and Taylor placed the deadball into the box, but Kellerman was adjudged to have tripped Eggleton as he went for the ball so a penalty was awarded to Coalville. Kee stepped up to take the spot kick, sent it straight down the middle and gave the Ravens the lead (0-1, 19 mins)

From the restart Creaney switched play with Waite on 21 and his cross was met by Concannon but it was too much for him to direct on target and his airborne strike went high over the bar.

As the fine drizzly rain continued to fall Tamworth turned the screw to get back into the game and when Concannon received the ball 25 yards out on 25, he struck it sweetly into the top left corner from distance to lift the roof on The Lamb (1-1, 25 mins)

A far post header by Berridge a right sided Coalville corner on 28 whistled over the corner of bar and post and then at the other end good interplay ended with a Waite cross-come-shot which curled out past the far post.

Tamworth kept the ball more than the visitors for the ensuing minutes without really threatening Deeney's goal until the 40th minute when Kellerman fed Concannon cross the ball for Creaney in the centre and his shot took a deflection to keep it away from the far post.

Some very cheeky but neat play involving Forde and Concannon set up Kellerman with his back to goal on 41 and he tried to back flick it in and it nearly came off but being a couple of feet the wrong wide of the far post.

Yeomans was on hand to deny a Coalville attack on 43 after a clearance from Pendley fell to Berridge and play switched quickly to the other end with Kellerman's right footed shot striking the bar from distance in the next wave of attack from The Lambs and the first half ended all square.

The Lambs restarted proceedings and pushed forwards from the whistle.

Beswick was pulled back after Concannon fed him the ball on the right and Kee escaped a booking while Beswick lined up the freekick which went over the crowded box and out for a goalkick past the far post.

When Creaney was brought down on the corner of the box on 51 it gave Beswick another deadball and Deeney stretched high to take it at the far post. There were a few scratched heads when a what seemed to be a foul on Coalville's Eggleton resulted in a drop ball in The Lambs favour and cross from Wilder on the left on 55 but it came to nothing despite the best of intentions.

Concannon demonstrated his skills with a good link up with Kellerman in the next move and The Lambs stayed on top as Forde crossed into the box on 57 but it was too high for any of his teammates.

Singh, who had not had much to do during the first part of the second half, was called upon on 62 to smother a low shot from Doyle-Charles, which he did without much trouble.

Concannon received the ball in the box on 64 and went down under a challenge but there was no penalty, and then as Coalville attacked the ball appeared to come off a Lambs defender but the offside flag was raised as Berridge tried to make the most of the chance.

McGlinchey fired a low ball into the box from the right on 66 which Berridge connected with and again Singh was equal to the strike to keep the game level as Coalville regained a little of the game.

Creaney closed Deeney down and nearly connected with his clearance on 68 but the keeper was just quick enough and then he connected a header with a deep cross from Wilder forcing Deeney into a low stop to his right.

Shaw forced Singh into a parry from a snap shot on 71 after the visitors attacked. When Tamworth countered Yeomans sprinted onto the loose ball and it took a foul by Doyle-Charles to stop his run, earning himself a booking in the process. Beswick lined up the freekick from 30 yards, firing just wide of the right hand post into the Castle End hoardings.

Walters replaced Waite on 74 in a straightish swap on the left of the park and he picked up the ball from a Creaney pass but his cross was a bit too long.

The Lambs continued to press when possible with a flowing move on 78 ending with a Yeomans ball into the box which Concannon nodded behind.

Robertson was sent from the field of play for swinging a hand out at Creaney as the ball went by the half way line on 81 and both sides took the opportunity to make a change as he made his way, under protest, from the pitch with Clement replacing Waite for Tamworth.

Tamworth forced a corner on 84 but a foul halted play and both Pendley and Kee were booked.

Yeomans fell into Concannon saw the player strike for goal but it was blocked and the corner punched away by Deeney.

Five minutes added time were shown as Coalville put everyone behind the ball although Creaney was able to get his head onto a cross and strike the dropping ball but it went wide on 92.

A late corner for The Lambs was blocked by the visitors defence and Concannon whipped the ball into the box from the right with seconds remaining but there was no late winner and match finished all square and a point apiece.



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Another major change is the investment in the clubhouse, identifiable by the refurbished roof and a redeveloped internal space following considerable damage caused by the winter weather. All in all just over £250,000 has been invested in the ground with a substantial amount provided by grants from the Football Stadia Improvement Fund and the generosity of supporters and backers of the club.



Since 2016 the Lamb has moved from a facility that was used two nights a week and a Saturday afternoon to a seven-days-a-week all year-round operation. The club has grown from one competitive team to 25 teams ranging from under-7s to the first team. There is also a full-time scholarship programme for 60 students aged 16-19. A women's section has been introduced with junior and adult teams. As a result, Tamworth FC is now the largest multi-team football club in the area with our academy in a partnership with Derby County.

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LOWESTOFT TOWN



Lowestoft Town have a fine history stretching back well over 100 years. The club is first recorded as East Suffolk F C with games, all friendlies in those days, recorded back in 1884. On merging with the original Kirkley club the title of Lowestoft was adopted in 1887 with 'Town' added in 1890.

When the Norfolk & Suffolk League was formed in 1897, providing the first inter-county competitive matches, Lowestoft dominated, winning the title 6 times in the first 7 years. The 'odd' season out 1899-1900 saw Lowestoft's attentions turn to the F Amateur Cup with victories over such famous names as Leytonstone (9-0), and Gt Marlow (1-0) on the way to the final which brought a 1-5 defeat by Bishop Auckland at Leicester.

In 1904 Lowestoft had to appear before a F A Commission to answer charges of professionalism after a testimonial had raised just under £5 for player Fred Timoney who was about to emigrate. Norwich City who had 'poached' 4 of Lowestoft's successful side amongst others were also called before the commission. Whilst City accepted the ruling and formally adopted professionalism to start on the road that has seen them up amongst the top clubs in the country, Lowestoft paid a restitution of 2 guineas to regain amateur status. In 1925 came the decision to adopt the blue and white colours that have served them so well since.

Lowestoft became founder members of the Eastern Counties League in 1935 but before starting out on this new challenge once again merged with local rivals Kirkley. The move proved a wise one with the first season seeing them sharing the title with Harwich & Parkston and then winning it outright 2 years later.

Lowestoft took the bold step of becoming semi-professional in 1962. 7 ECL titles and twice runners up in the following 9 seasons is clear testimony to the manner in which they dominated in those years.

The ECL title was again won in 1977/8. The 1980s saw a decline in the club's fortunes as crowds and income dropped. The unique club pavilion, originally the Yacht Club before being taken down and moved from the harbour to the Crown Meadow in 1902, was gradually falling into disrepair and the floodlighting system installed in 1964 was coming to the end of its lifespan. The floodlights were updated in 1986 and the new dressing room complex occupied in 1989 and at last attention could be paid to playing matters.

As playing fortunes declined a 19 year old local lad signed for the club in 1980 who was to figure prominently in the affairs of the club for the next 30 plus years. Micky Chapman soon became a favourite with his all action style, eye for the goal, long flowing hair and a genuine desire to bring success back to the club. 5 'Player of the Year' trophies adorn his display cabinet as testimony to the respect he has earned from supporters and players alike. The 1990s saw Micky progress from captain to assistant manager and finally manager in 1994.

A persistent back injury forced Mick to hang up his boots in 1997 allowing him to concentrate fully on the managerial side. With the unwavering support of successive chairmen Mick had been able to improve the side year by year. In February 2012 he took charge of his 1000th game as Lowestoft manager.

After several years in the doldrums the 21st century has seen Micky team up with Ady Gallagher to bring a return to trophy winning days with the Ridgions League title won twice, the League Cup collected twice and the Suffolk Premier Cup brought back to the Meadow five times. The culmination of all that recent success came in May 2008 when joint managers Micky Chapman and Ady Gallagher proudly led their squad out onto the hallowed Wembley pitch in the F A Carlsberg Vase final. On a blazing hot Sunday afternoon in front of over 14,000 Lowestoft supporters, the Blues were in the lead for three quarters of the game before conceding a last minute goal to lose out to Kirkham & Wesham by the odd goal of three.

Season 2008-2009 saw the first team win a League and County Cup double, as well as reach the semi final of the F A Carlsberg Vase and the season ended with promotion to the Ryman League Division One North. Success continued unabated in 2009/10 with back to back promotions seeing the Blues soar to the Ryman Premier Division at the first attempt achieving a century of points and goals for the second consecutive season. An excellent F A Cup run saw the first round proper reached with the run ended at Wrexham by a cruel deflected goal in the final minutes.

The first season in the Ryman Premier Division saw the Trawlerboys involved in the promotion race right to the end. There was just 9 minutes of the season left when Tonbridge Angels scored the goal that gave them a 3-4 victory and ended Lowestoft's hopes of a third successive promotion. It was a similar story in the following 2 seasons with late goals in the Play Off final denying them promotion before the dream of Step 2 football was realised in 2014 with a play off victory over AFC Hornchurch and a 3rd promotion in 6 seasons.

Season 2014-2015 was one of consolidation in the highest sphere the club has ever reached and despite several early morning departures and a mere 8500 plus miles of travelling a satisfactory season ended with them holding a 16th place finish suffering just a single defeat in their final 13 fixtures. On top of this the Blues closed their season out by winning the Suffolk Premier Cup for the twelfth time; beating Whitton United 2-1 after extra time. It was also a season that marked the farewell of a true Lowestoft Town legend with Micky Chapman retiring after the last league game of the season at home to Barrow, who sealed the league title that day with a 3-2 victory over the Blues. After 32 years, 480 first team appearances, 193 goals, 1640 games and 147,600 plus minutes as a player, player/manager and then manager during that time, it was the end of an era for a figure who will forever be etched in the history of Lowestoft Town FC.

Season 2015-2016 saw Ady Gallagher in sole charge for the first time but a season plagued with injuries saw the Trawlerboys relegated on the last day of the season on goal difference bringing a return to the Ryman League Premier Division. Season 2016-2017 was to prove one of consolidation as they adjusted to life at step 3 in a season once again plagued with injuries.

Season 2017-2018 proved to be one of turmoil as firstly Ady Gallagher stepped down to be replaced by his assistant Dale Brooks. The club was then hit by financial problems which saw the departure of several leading players but Brooks achieved a minor miracle by avoiding relegation with the remnants of his squad aided by a bevy of youth loan signings and the clubs scholar's.

Brooks stepped down during the summer of 2018 to be replaced by two former players Jamie Godbold and Andy Reynolds who between themselves boast over 900 appearances for the Trawlerboys. With a mixed squad of experience and exciting young prospects, a season plagued by injuries saw them flirting with relegation but a tremendous run of 7 wins in their final 9 games saw them finish in a comfortable mid table position. Season 19/20 was on course for a similar finishing position before everything was brought to a halt by the covid pandemic with season 2020/21 suffering a similar fate.

LOWESTOFT TOWN PLAYERS

JAY BARBOR

Product of the Trawlerboys scholarship programme whose progress over the past year has earned him a contract. Industrious midfielder who made his debut away to Bromsgrove Sporting on 8th February 2020.

SAMSON BELLO

Ipswich Town youngster currently on a youth loan to gain experience.

WARREN BURWOOD

Local boy who was released by Cardiff City in the summer of 2020 and joined Lowestoft Town at the start of this season once international clearance had been obtained. Made his debut in Suffolk Premier Cup final against Needham Market on 20th October 2020.

TRAVIS COLE

Local boy who signed a permanent deal with Lowestoft having been released by Ipswich in November 2016. Appointed the manager of the club's academy in March 2018. Previously at Lowestoft on work experience. Central defender with a promising future in front of him.

JOSH HARVEY (dob 10 July 2005) Currently a member of the Trawlerboys Scholars and has impressed sufficiently to be included in the first team squad. 0 apps 0 goals

RYAN HAWKINS

A long time target for manager Jamie Godbold ended when Ryan signed for the Trawlerboys from Kings Lynn Town at the end of October 2020. After being released by Norwich City spent time with Dereham Town and St Neots Town before joining Kings Lynn who he helped to successive promotions. Debut v Cheshunt in F A trophy 8 December 2020. 2 apps 0 goals.

CHRIS HENDERSON

Rejoined Lowestoft in July 2021.
Originally joined Lowestoft in 2011

from Bury and had 6 successful years before leaving to join Leiston and later Kings Lynn Town whom he helped to 2 successive promotions. After a brief stay with Gorleston opted to rejoin the Trawlerboys. 250 apps, 62 goals

KEIRON HIGGS

Tricky attacking midfielder who came through the Norwich City Youth ranks but his time there was hampered by injury. Joined Lowestoft in August 2018 making his debut against Halesowen Town. Missed all of last season through injury. 44 apps 9 goals.

RYAN JARVIS

Midfielder who rejoined Lowestoft in the summer of 2021 from Kings Lynn Town. Previously with the Trawlerboys from 2015-2017. Started his career with Norwich City and includes Leyton Orient, Walsall, Torquay United and York City amongst his other clubs.

SAM JOHNSON

Young full back signed from Oxford United in the summer of 2021. Debut came on 14th August 2021 v Barwell. 1 apps, 0 goals

HARRY KNIGHTS

Signed for Lowestoft in the summer of 2021 after 4 years with neighbours Leiston. A strong dependable central defender Harry has also been a part of the England Universities squad recently appearing in their warm up matches. Debut v Barwell on 14th August 2021.

LOUIS MCINTOSH

Norwich lad who progressed through the Canaries youth system into their Under 23 squad. Released in June 2019 he signed for the Trawlerboys in August 2019. Debut away to Hednesford Town on 10th August 2019.

OWEN MURPHY

Promising teenage defender who joined Lowestoft from Dereham Town in September 2020. Debut v Bury Town in Suffolk Premier Cup semi final on 15 September 2020.

JAKE REED

Despite being a local lad his early career was with Gt Yarmouth Town before joining Dagenham & Redbridge where he made 38 appearances scoring 1 goal. Joined Lowestoft in October 2013 becoming an instant fans favourite by hitting 4 goals in his home debut against Carshalton Athletic. Now in his 3rd spell with Lowestoft after 2 short spells at AFC Sudbury and Leiston.

DYLAN RUFFLES

Had a spell with Lowestoft on work experience from Ipswich Town in 2019/20 and after a short spell in Sweden signed for the Trawlerboys at the start of this season. 24 apps 0 goals.

ADAM SHERWOOD

Another member of the current Trawlerboys Scholars who has featured in several pre-season games and has earned the right to become a member of the 1st team squad.

ADAM TANN

He started his career with Cambridge United making his debut against Barnet at the start of a 10 year Football League career including spells with Notts County and Leyton Orient. There then followed a further 4 years in the National League with Histon and Chelmsford City. Joined Lowestoft as player coach in the summer of 2018. Debut against St Ives Town on 14 August 2018.

LUIS TIBBLES

Goalkeeper signed from Bury Town in July 2019. His form in 2018 saw him called up to the England 'C' squad for their tour of the Falklands. Has played for manager Jamie Godbold twice before at Kirkley & Pakefield and AFC Sudbury. Debut away to Hednesford Town on 10th August 2019.

JACK WILKINSON

Solid defender signed from Cambridge City in November 2018. Previous clubs include Harlow Town, Mildenhall Town, St Neots Town and AFC Sudbury. Made his debut against Royston Town on 20th November 2018.

MARCUS WILKINSON

Rejoined Lowestoft in the summer of 2021 for his second spell with the Trawlerboys. A speedy forward player with an eye for a goal he returns to the fold after spending last season's curtailed season with Leiston. His Trawlerboys debut came as a substitute away to Biggleswade Town on 23rd February 2019.



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Memberships brought last season have been rolled over to this season, this due to the season being declared null and void.

Memberships are still available to buy to become part of The Supporters Club, which includes opportunities throughout the season. We're still to have an AGM, but once things have got underway in the league, we will then arrange one in due course.

Tamworth Football Club Supporters Club are also looking for two members to join.

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The midweek games kicked off on Monday evening with Hednesford Town visiting Stourbridge and despite going a goal down, the Pitmen came roaring back to claim all 3 points. Jason Cowley gave the Glassboys the lead in just the 4th minute, but it was a tale of two penalties that gave Hednesford the win. Courtney Richards equalised from the spot in the 18th minute with the winner being converted by Andre Landell in the 67th minute. (Gate 864)

Hednesford's maximum from 2 games saw them lead the table on Monday evening, but this was short lived as Peterborough Sports edged ahead of them on goal difference following their 3 - 1 win over Barwell on Tuesday evening. The home outfit raced into a 3 goals lead with strikes from Brad McGowan (18), Jordan Nicholson (30) and Daniel Lawlor (48). Barwell reduced the arrears in 67th min when Harry Bower found the back of the net. (Gate 187)

Leiston, who started the season with a fine win at Bromsgrove drop to 3rd after a home draw with Royston Town. Adam Murry put Rosyton ahead in the 4th min, with Leiston's William Davies hitting the equaliser in the 32 min (Gate 232). Royston sit in 4th place while Tamworth's visitors on Tuesday evening, Coalville Town, sit in 5th.

Banbury United join a host of clubs on 4 points as they visited AFC Rushden and Diamonds who were playing their first game of the season. And it was a first win for United as Henry Landers grabbed both goals (20 and 83). The defeat leaves Rushden sitting 3rd from bottom of the table. (Gate 746)

Biggleswade Town are also on 4 points following a 2 - 1 home win over today's visitors Lowestoft Town. Joe Neal (26 and 54) scored both goals with Jake Reed pulling one back in the 58th min. (Gate 170). Lowestoft are still to claim a point and lie second from bottom of the fledging table on goal difference.

St Ives Town sit in 8th place after a battling 1 - 1 draw away at Needham Market. They fell behind to a Ben Fowkes goal in the 15th min, but hit back to claim a share of the points when Luke Fairlamb netted on the hour. (Gate 266)

Alvechurch occupy 9th place and head a group of 5 teams with 3 points. They took on Bromsgrove Sporting in a local derby and ended the game with a comfortable 3 - 0 win. The goals came from Charlie Dowd (23) and Daniel Waldron (57 and 96 pen) Bromsgrove have surprised people with their poor start and have hit rock bottom of the league having conceded 7 goals in two games. (Gate 537)

Redditch hold 11th place but lost to Stratford Town who move up to 12th spot. Former Lamb Ahmed Obeng gave the Bards the lead in the 22nd min and William Davis doubled their advantage on 38. Asa Charlton pulled a goal back in the 63rd min, but it wasn't enough to get anything from the game. (Gate 503)

Rushall Olympic got their first win of the season as they came back from behind to Nuneaton Borough 2 - 1. Gift Mussa had given Borough a first half lead, hitting home in the 17th min. The Pics came out fighting in the second half and Daniel Glover grabbed both goals (79 pen and 83). The defeat sees Borough move down to 14th place.

Hitchin were the team to miss out on a game in Midweek.

Other News from the League

Former Lamb Claudio Dias has moved to AFC Rushden & Diamonds from Nuneaton Borough. The 26-year-old signed for Boro in June 2020 from Banbury United, for whom he made 26 league appearances in 2019/20 ahead of lockdown in March.

Banbury United have brought in Alex Babos from Kings Lynn, who he had joined in April 2021 from Alfreton Town. He started his career progressing through Derby County's system, having also played for Real Union in Spain on loan.

Rushall Olympic have added Callum Coyle to their ranks. The highly-rated 24-year-old midfielder started out at Walsall academy, before being released at 16. He joined Vanarama Solihull Moors and thrived in their academy, signing first-team forms in March 2017 and made himself a regular first-team squad member in 2018/19. He moved to Stafford Rangers in July 2020.

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TAMWORTH WOMEN

Tamworth Women's Manager Ryan Hamilton's thoughts on winning against Port Vale Ladies:

Sunday's win was another good step in the right direction for us during preseason. It gave us a chance to rotate slightly, given opportunities to some players who we wanted to see more of and they took their chances well. Danni getting to start in her favoured position as a ten, did really well scoring a hat trick and assisting one too, Grace starting as a nine carried on her good form, grabbed another goal and was a nightmare for Port Vale to defend against so it was really pleasing on that front as well as Amy in goal, another strong performance, definitely challenged more this week so she had a lot of decisions to make and overall she did really well, at sixteen playing back to back games for the first team against regional level sides is a credit to her it's great for her development. Likewise having players starting and doing so well allows us to rotate and rest the likes of Liv, Lily, Aimee and Annie and bring them on later in the game, all four came on and impacted the game, Liv scoring two, Annie was relentless up there and kept the defenders on their toes, Lily brought an intensity to the left hand side and put us really on the front foot and Aimee brings quality whenever she steps onto the pitch, bridging the gap between midfield to strikers well, creating chances and looking threatening. I have to give Jess Harris a mention though, to get man of the match in a game where someone else has scored a hat trick shows just how impressive her performance was, defensively she was solid, organised us well, stepping in to intercept well and in possession she was excellent, breaking lines with passes through to centre midfield, looking after the ball well, she put in a really classy performance yesterday.

With the rotations and a slight chance to how we want to play out of possession this season, it wasn't our most polished performance ever and highlighted a few areas for us to tidy up on but that's the aim of pre season, see what's working well and what we need to work on. The most pleasing parts for me, was firstly that the girls applied the work we've been doing in training to our match day and then secondly that not at our best we still came away with a more than positive result, we were able to give minutes to players that we wanted to see more of and it's another big step in the right direction.

Now we focus our attention to Loughborough next weekend, we know just how much of a test that will be for us, they're a talented side with a great set up and very good coaching staff, it's the perfect test for us as we hit the business end of preseason.



TAMWORTH FC

PLAYER STATISTICS SEASON 2021/22

TOTAL NUMBER OF MATCHES - 2

		SEASON TOTAL							LAMBS CAREER			
SURNAME	FIRST NAME	XI	Xlg	,	ps	psg	+	nps	App	+	NPS	Goals
own goals		-	-	,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	160
BASTOS	Kevin Da Silva	0	0	,	0	0		0	0		0	0
BESWICK	Ryan	2	0	,	0	0		0	78	+	1	23
BROGAN	Max	0	0	,	0	0	+	1	0	+	1	0
BROWN	Jordaan	1	0	,	1	0		0	1		0	0
CLEMENT	Jordan	1	0	,	1	0		0	58	+	11	8
CONCANNON	Jack	2	1	,	0	0		0	23	+	2	7
COX	Chris	1	0	,	0	0		0	19	+	1	1
CREANEY	Dan	2	0	,	0	0		0	39	+	2	16
FALLOWS	Keelan	0	0	,	0	0		0	0		0	0
FORDE	Aaron	1	0	,	0	0		0	38	+	1	1
HART	Ben	0	0	,	0	0		0	5	+	1	0
HOWKINS	Cameron	0	0	,	0	0		0	6	+	7	0
KELLERMAN	James	1	0	,	0	0		0	1		0	0
MANCINELLI	Prince	0	0	,	0	0		0	0		0	0
McDONALD	Shaquille	1	0	,	0	0		0	12	+	1	7
PARKER	Tom	0	0	,	0	0	+	1	0	+	1	0
PENDLEY	Orrin	2	0	,	0	0		0	2		0	0
SINGH	Jasbir	2	0	,	0	0		0	92	+	1	0
SOLEMAN	Aram	0	0	,	0	0	+	1	3	+	1	0
TAYLOR	Michael	0	0	,	1	0		0	8		0	2
THOMAS	Jack	1	0	,	0	0	+	1	4	+	3	0
WAITE	Tyrell	1	0	,	0	0		0	87	+	2	24
WALTERS	Dexter	0	0	,	2	0		0	10	+	17	1
WARD	Tom	1	0	,	1	0		0	1		0	0
WILDER	Henri	2	0	,	0	0		0	45	+	9	3
YEOMANS	Lucas	1	0	,	0	0		0	2		0	0

LEAGUE TABLE

FROM TUESDAY

CLUB	P	W	D	L	PTS
PETERBOROUGH SPORTS	2	2	0	0	6
HEDNESFORD TOWN	2	2	0	0	6
LEISTON	2	2	0	0	6
ROYSTON TOWN	2	1	1	0	4
COALVILLE TOWN	2	1	1	0	4
BANBURY UNITED	2	1	1	0	4
BIGGLESWADE TOWN	2	1	1	0	4
ST IVES TOWN	2	1	1	0	4
ALVECHURCH	2	1	0	1	3
BARWELL	2	1	0	1	3
REDDITCH UNITED	2	1	0	1	3
STRATFORD TOWN	2	1	0	1	3
RUSHALL OLYMPIC	2	1	0	1	3
NUNEATON BOROUGH	2	0	1	1	1
NEEDHAM MARKET	2	0	2	2	1
STOURBRIDGE	2	0	1	1	1
TAMWORTH	2	0	2	2	1
HITCHIN TOWN	1	0	0	1	0
AFC RUSHDEN & DIAMONDS	1	0	0	1	0
LOWESTOFT TOWN	2	0	0	2	0
BROMSGROVE SPORTING	2	0	0	2	0

FIXTURES

SATURDAY 21ST AUGUST 2021

AFC RUSHDEN & DIAMONDS VS. COALVILLE TOWN
ALVECHURCH VS. HEDNESFORD TOWN
BANBURY UNITED V. BARWELL
BIGGLESWADE TOWN VS. PETERBOROUGH SPORTS
HITCHIN TOWN VS. NUNEATON BOROUGH
LEISTON VS. REDDITCH UNITED
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Colours: Red and Black



Management: Jamie Godbold
Colours: White and Blue

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BEN HART
CAMERON HOWKINS
ORRIN PENDLEY
HENRI WILDER
RYAN BESWICK
JACK CONCANNON
AARON FORDE
ARAM SOLEMAN
JACK THOMAS
DEXTER WALTERS
DANIEL CREANEY
SHAQUILLE MCDONALD
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TYRELL WAITE
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LOUIS McINTOSH
JAY BARBOR
MARCUS WILKINSON
KIERAN HIGGS
SAMSON BELLO
WARREN BURWOOD
JACK WILKINSON
TRAVIS COLE

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Assistant Referees: Mitchell
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