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VS. RUSHALL OLYMPIC

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We offer everyone a very warm welcome to the CRMOT Centre Community Stadium at the Lamb for today's game against Rushall Olympic. In particular we extend a welcome to our local visitors - the players, supporters and officials of the 'Pics' and trust they enjoy the hospitality offered to them at the Lamb today.

Rushall arrive at the Lamb today in excellent form, which has seen them claim a place in the play off positions as we move into the final few months of the season. For Tamworth it is an important game where 3 points is the order of the day. Having lost 3 games on the bounce since the win over Royston Town, the Lambs will want to put on a good show in front of our home fans. The two teams have faced each other on 20 previous occasions with Tamworth having the upper hand with 13 wins and 3 games being drawn. The highest attendance at the Lamb between the teams was recorded on Tuesday 26 September 1988 when 733 fans witnessed a 5 - 1 home win in a West Midlands Premier League fixture. No doubt a game that will stick in the memories of Tamworth supporters will be the sensational finish to the game played at Dales Lane just a few months ago when Dan Creaney hit two sensational goals in stoppage time to give the visitors a 2 - 1 win. Since we were last at the Lamb we have signed four new players. James Hurst has joined from Buxton, where he was club captain. He signed for Buxton in Aug 2020 and has plenty of football league experience behind him as well as representing England from U16 - U20 level. Ben Bailey joins him in defence having joined from Hednesford Town where he was the club's all time leading appearance holder. In midfield we welcome Taylor Morrison who was last at Alvechurch, and has also played for Stratford Town and Redditch United. Dan Bradley needs no introduction to Tamworth supporters, having played for the Lambs back in 2010 as a teenager after being released from Aston Villa. Dan has gone on to play at the highest level of Non League Football, as well as picking up an England C cap. We give all these players a very big welcome to the Lamb.

The next game for Tamworth will be next Saturday away at Stourbridge. Please keep an eye out on the website for confirmation of the kick off time as we understand the club are having some issues with their floodlights. Enjoy the game today.

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MATCH REPORT

STRATFORD TOWN 1-0 TAMWORTH FC

The most obvious one being Thomas Baillie and Scott Machin who enjoyed a successful season at the helm in 2018-19 and defeated Dennis Greene's Lambs twice in the process. No less than six of the current Lambs squad once turned out for The Bards, managed by goalkeeping legend Tim Flowers – Cox, Creaney, Forde, Morrison, Obeng and Whittingham - while two names in the Town squad - Taylor and Fry - were not unknown to Tamworth fans who we're looking forward to some 'fabulous footie football' as described by the home announcer before kick off.

Re-signing Dan Bradley made his 66th start in a Lambs shirt, since his last appearance in December 2011, while new signing Ben Bailey, ex-Hednesford, took a place on the bench. Joint boss Gary Smith was hopeful that there would be a repeat of the 3-1 victory from October 2019 when Beswick (2) and Waite netted in response to Wilson's early penalty. Tamworth needed goals now though, being the 3rd lowest scorers in the league, with the 8th best defensive record before kick-off an early strike would hopefully settle the nerves a little ahead of tough games against top four opposition on the horizon. There were four changes to the side that ran out against Coalville and with Creaney suspended Tamworth opted for a 4-3-3 formation with Bradley ahead of Hurst in the middle of the park, and Bell the target man. For the home side former league striker Lita started having signed from local rival Nuneaton recently. Stratford got the game underway, with Tamworth attacking the road entrance end of the ground and after an early push by Tamworth both sides settled with half chances falling for Taylor and some teasing balls into the box from The Lambs wingmen in the early exchanges. Walters had the first and best chance of the game though, cutting into the area from the left he lifted his shot over the covering defender and forced the man behind him to clear his lines with shouts of handball from the vociferous travelling faithful behind O'Brien's goal. Clements ball to Walters found the number 11 just off side on 14, but he timed his run onto Bradley's longer cross field inch perfect ball to perfection and whipped the ball in. It drew more shouts of handball against the defender but Wilson was not penalised for it hitting his arms which were behind his back at the time. Bell Concannon and Bradley combined to switch play across from the right to the left on 20 but the final ball to Walters was too long for the winger to chase down and Stratford defended the move effectively. Another cross from Walters on 21 was taken by the keeper at his right hand upright and on 24 Concannon lifted his cross into the area and the keeper was happy to collect it at height. A deflected Thomas cross a minute later forced a right sided corner though, which Stratford broke from and it could have been dangerous, but The Lambs were organised and repelled the threat. Williams did break the Lambs back line on 25, and a defensive nudge in the back from Cox saw the Stratford man stumble but not go down. Bradley was in the thick of it on 28, and was upended 25 yards out setting the dead ball for Walters to strike for goal but he could only find the wall. On 30 Pendley was booked for bringing Taylor down as he turned to chase a loose ball after a short pass spelt danger a fair distance from goal and with defensive cover in place, and then on 33 Oulton unleashed a right footed dipping volley from 35 yards which Singh had to watch all the way and tip over the bar. Sammons slapped a right footed shot from 25 yards out into the car park behind Singh's goal on 40 after Bell's defensive header from a deep freekick fell invitingly. As the first half minutes ticked by it looked increasingly likely that the half would end goalless and a rising off target shot from Dawes on 44 only reinforced that. Wilder made a challenging run into the area but was unable to get the ball across into the danger zone as one minute added time was shown. Grocott was unable to get his shot on target in the final move of the half, and cleared the goal and stand with his off target effort before the whistle blew.

Tamworth got the game back underway and went on the attack but Bell's strike from Wilders left wing centre was straight at O'Brien on 47. At the other end on 49 though, Grocott released Dawes down the left channel and his strike into the near post couldn't be kept out by Singh and Stratford celebrated the lead (1-0, 49 mins) Dawes turned in the area on 50 and rolled a low shot which Singh gathered, but on 53 Lita missed when it would have been easier to score, lifting Taylor's angled centre from the right of the box over the cross bar from 8 yards with just Singh to beat, and the Lambs breathed a sigh of relief. Walters got his foot around the ball in the right of the box on 53 but it was too quick for Bell or Concannon to latch onto and after Dawes picked up a booking, the same player forced a corner on the left and it eventually fell to Williams. The centre half worked through to the edge of the box but curled his effort around the right hand post. Clement lined up a freekick on the right on 58 but curled it over the bar and also the low stand behind the goal. Williams made headway out of defence into midfield and to the edge of the area again on 59, slipped the pass through to Lita and his directed shot was put behind for a corner which caused problems in the box before Pendley booted it away as the home faithful, rather than their travelling counterparts, witnessed a close call. Hurst tried a right footed attempt from the left channel on 65 but only made the fans duck on the terraces behind the goal, and The Lambs made two changes. Hurst dropped back into the back four allowing Beswick to take his position, while Obeng swapped with Concannon and when Hurst tangled with Lita on the left, it allowed Stratford a dangerous deadball. Grocott drilled the ball around the wall, which Singh pushed away and then it made it's way back to Dawes but he curled his shot around the defenders, goalkeeper and far post. Lita found space to get a low drive away at Singh on 70 which seemed to spur The Lambs on and the work rate increased beyond what it already was pushing The Bards back into their own half. Stratford countered though, and Singh parried a low drive from Dawes on 78 and at the other end on 81, Bell received the ball from Wilder but shot wide of the mark with a powerful strike from the edge of the area. With the clock ticking down, Taylor suffered a with cramp and needed treatment on the field and had to be replaced with a couple of minutes remaining before a dipping ball into the Stratford box was dealt by O'Brien. Tamworth forced the home side back as the seconds passed and Obeng nearly found the head of Bradley as five minutes added time was shown. A whipped in Walters cross was cleared, but The Lambs pushed on again as Stratford defended in numbers, and Beswick hit a half volley from 20 yards which rose slowly and agonisingly over bar. Tamworth continued to keep every Stratford play inside their own half and indeed in the final third, as a corner on the right was played into the box by Beswick and when it was cleared, it found Singh on the halfway line. When Stratford did get the ball, they forced it into the corner, and won a flagkick which proved to be the final action of the game.

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Since the start of last season there have been some big changes at the Lamb which you can't help but spot. The 9 ageing and second hand floodlight columns have been replaced by 4 brand new state of the art LED floodlight towers. The lights are brighter and cheaper to run, and with the facility to dim them, they are suitable for use in a number of different situations.

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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RUSHALL OLYMPIC



Research has discovered that the original Rushall Olympic Football Club was founded at least three years earlier than had previously been thought - with editions of local newspapers found to contain match reports about the Olympic dating back to the 1893-94 season. At this time the club were a very useful junior team who played only friendly matches, but they did go on to join the Cannock & District Football League for the start of the 1895-96 season, finishing as runners-up – before later going on to become members of the Junior (winning the Championship in 1903-04), Amateur, Parks and Senior sections of the Walsall & District League. However, even earlier records have indicated that football in the village of Rushall was already being played on a regular basis at least 20 years prior to that time and in fact the opening game for the newly formed Walsall Town team was against a Rushall side at the Chuckery Ground, Walsall on the 3rd October 1874. Indeed, so many players turned up that it was decided to field a 15-a-side format, with the surplus Walsall men being “loaned” out to make up the Rushall team. Rushall, with that extra slice of experience, won the game 3-1, although some argued that the game should have finished 2-2 as one of the Rushall goals was scored by a Walsall player!

As research continues, the early years of Rushall Olympic will slowly be uncovered, but it is known that a thriving club certainly existed just after the First World War, up until the mid-1930's. During this period the team (many of whom worked at the local Aldridge pit) played on the field behind the Miners Arms Public House in Rushall - changing in the pub and enjoying a pint after the game. The team, then playing in old gold and black stripes, was a “good ‘un”, and won various honours along the way, including: the 1919-20 Lichfield & District League Championship in the first full season following the Great War; the Walsall Charity Cup in 1920-21 (playing the semi-final in the morning and the final in the afternoon), 1921-22 and jointly in 1922-23; the Walsall & District Parks League Championship and Senior Cup double of 1924-25; and the Walsall Junior Cup of 1935-36 - all prior to the club disbanding sometime prior to the outbreak of the Second World War.

In 1951, a few local lads - John Edwards, Des Hyde and Graham Wiggin, decided it was high time that football made a return to the village. They approached George Hunt, the proprietor of a local fish and chip shop, for permission to use his premises as their headquarters - which was agreed to and Rowley Place was decided upon as the Pic's home ground. Other local players soon joined, including Don Griffiths, Eric Handley, Sid Yates, Wilf Trow and Ernie Lamb. Sid Whitehouse became their trainer and Jim Trow and Mr Evans joined as committee members. With the help of George Hunt, a playing strip of red and white striped shirts was purchased and entry was gained into the Second Division of the Walsall & District Amateur League, where the team soon began winning trophies. In 1952, Ernie Lamb became the Club Secretary and Arthur Steed (later to become Chairman) joined as trainer; local bookmaker Jim Edge became President; and the headquarters were moved to Rushall Labour Club. Following suggestions from local people with memories of the pre-war club, it was finally decided to revert back to an old gold and black strip - the clubs original colours. The Olympic were back in business.

After winning the Walsall & District Amateur League Second Division Championship in 1952-53, and later the First Division Championship in 1955-56, the club eventually gained promotion into the strong Staffordshire County League (South) for the start of the 1956-57 season - and made an immediate impact by winning the Second Division title at the first attempt. Following promotion into the First Division, the club later won three back to back Championships between 1960 and 1963 - but Rushall Olympic's real glory season came in 1964-65 when the club clinched the Staffordshire County League (South) First Division Championship for the fourth time in five

years and also won the Lichfield Charity Cup, the Sporting Star Cup and the Walsall Senior Cup. The club continued to succeed in the Staffordshire County League (South), but failed to emulate its unrivalled success of the 1950's and 60's. However in 1975, in order to take a giant step forward and gain a higher league status, the club decided to move three miles away to the Aston University Sports Ground, just off the main A34 Walsall to Birmingham road. Unfortunately, football, after many decades, had left the village - but it was soon to return thanks to Olympic's magnificent seven, namely: Brian Greenwood, Mick Clayton, Graham Wiggan, Ray Wiggan, Johnny Edwards, Brian Humphries and Trevor Westwood; who enlisted the help of Councillor Dick Arkell to obtain the lease of some land in Daw End, Rushall, where trees had to be moved, holes dug, and some filled in, until the new Dales Lane ground was officially opened on Sunday 14th August 1977. The club were then accepted into the West Midlands (Regional) League in 1978, and in their first season they finished in a very creditable fourth place in the First Division. The 1979-80 campaign then saw the club go on to win the First Division championship by a massive 16-point margin and gain richly deserved promotion to the Premier Division.

During the 1980's and 90's the club enjoyed fourteen seasons of moderate success in the West Midlands (Regional) League Premier Division, with a highest finish of fifth place achieved in season 1988-89 and a League Cup Final appearance in 1982. However, time moved on, and for the start of the 1994-95 season the club began a new era when it was named as one of the twenty founder members of the Midland Football Alliance. Unfortunately, the first four seasons of Alliance football proved to be somewhat traumatic for the club with final placings of 18th, 12th, 16th and 16th achieved under five different managerial regimes. However, despite these set-backs, in September 1997 the Olympic were delighted to be able to persuade John Allen, Hednesford Town's then Assistant Manager, to join the club as their new First Team Manager who immediately went on to completely revamp the team and gave the club, as a whole, a much needed impetus.

The turning point in the clubs fortunes finally came during season 1998-99 when they finished in a very creditable 7th place, while the following season saw the Pic's take 7th place for the second consecutive season, but with a much improved points tally. The club also won their first piece of silverware for exactly twenty years when they defeated the then Southern League club Rocester at Bescot Stadium in a dramatic penalty shoot-out to lift the prestigious Walsall Senior Cup for the first time since 1965.

Season 2000-01 saw the Pic's surpass all expectations as they just missed out on promotion to the Southern League Western Division by ending the campaign as Midland Football Alliance Runners-Up to promoted Stourport Swifts by the narrowest margin of one single goal. However, during season 2001-02 Manager John Allen moved upstairs to take on the role of club Chairman, while his assistant Kevin Hadley took over and Olympic once more ended the campaign with silverware as the club won the Midland Football Alliance Cup for the first time by defeating Barwell after extra time, in addition to completing the Alliance season in a respectable 5th position.

The club made further progress during season 2002-03 as they went on to record their best ever Alliance campaign, registering their highest ever number of victories and most points achieved by the club, as they finished as runners-up to Stourbridge. Disappointingly, their efforts both on and off the pitch were still not enough to attain their long term goal of Southern League football when the Pic's were denied a promotion place at the eleventh hour after a crucial vote went narrowly in favour of former Southern League club Yate Town.

August 2003 saw the return of John Allen into the management hot-seat after the club decided it needed a change of direction and subsequently parted company with Kevin Hadley and his coaching staff. The club were then able to enter a period of financial consolidation in order to concentrate on ground improvement work during summer 2004 that saw the construction of a Conference standard dressing room complex at Dales Lane. However, even working under such constraints he was still able to guide his charges to the 2003-04 Midland Football Alliance Cup Final, which eventually took place in August 2004, although his side were ultimately defeated 3-1 after extra time by Stratford Town.

To focus firmly on the task in hand John Allen decided to step down from the joint role of Chairman at the end of season 2003-04 and was now more determined than ever to make a sustained championship challenge in his bid to finally take the club into the higher reaches of non-league football. Indeed, after 7 seasons of trying "Mr Rushall" irrefutably delivered the club's ultimate goal as he led his side to the 2004-05 Midland Football Alliance Championship with 3-weeks to spare and by a commanding 7-point margin. Following an anxious 4-week wait the Football Association eventually decreed that Olympic's dream had come true as they secured automatic promotion into the Southern Football League Division One West for the first time in their history. To round off what was undoubtedly the best ever season witnessed at Dales Lane, Rushall's Reserve Team also completed a superlative league and cup double by clinching the Midland Football Combination Reserve Division Championship and Challenge Trophy.

The 2005-06 campaign saw the Pic's claim an excellent 10th place finish during their Southern Football League debut, while they also lifted the coveted Staffordshire Senior Challenge Cup for the first time in the clubs history by defeating Stoke City by a single goal at the Britannia Stadium. Meanwhile, the Reserve Team also retained the Midland Football Combination Reserve Division to complete a season that was a marvellous epitaph to John Allen who then stepped down from his managerial role due to increased business commitments and was replaced by the former Bloxwich United, Blakenall and Bromsgrove Rovers boss Bob Green. However, the new managerial reign lasted only 6 pre-season games during summer 2006, before John Allen was forced to return back to the hot seat in August 2006, quickly followed by former Semi-Professional England International Joe O'Connor in October 2006. Following a sequence of defeats leading into the New Year period the Pic's decided upon a fourth managerial change in five months when former Halesowen Town manager Paul Holleran was handed the task of maintaining the club's Southern League status in January 2007. The new man at the helm eventually led Rushall to a comfortable 15th place finish and the Pic's also reached the Staffordshire Senior Challenge Cup Final for the second season running, but a weakened side due to player ineligibility were comprehensively defeated by Kidsgrove Athletic at Port Vale's Vale Park.

The 2007-08 campaign was an excellent one for the Pic's in Southern Football League Division One Midlands as Paul Holleran guided his charges to a promotion play-off position. Unfortunately, the dream of Premier Division football was not to be realised as Rushall narrowly lost out to runners-up Leamington in the Play-Off Semi Final, but the seasonal statistics were impressive to say the least. From the 40 games of the campaign Olympic eventually secured 5th position with 23 victories and as a side conceded only 23 goals in the process, courtesy of keeping 23 clean sheets in the league and 32 in total from 59 games. The success was undoubtedly built around almost unrivalled meanness within the defensive ranks that was only bettered in this and higher levels of football by, none other than Manchester United in the Barclays Premiership! Away from league action the Pics competed in a titanic 18 cup games, with a best ever Football Association Challenge Cup run to the Fourth Round Qualifying stage (with the agony of a 6-0 defeat at former Football League York City) and a best ever Third Qualifying Round appearance in the F.A. Trophy were also very much amongst the tremendous highs of the season.

May 2008 saw the Pics presented with a new challenge when in an incredible turn of events, the Football Association Leagues Committee met to decide on the allocation of clubs for Steps 1 to 4 of the National League System campaign – which resulted in the club being moved across the non-League pyramid into the Northern Premier Football League First Division South for the 2008-09 campaign.

The Pics debut campaign in the northern section of the non-League pyramid proved to be an extremely successful transition as they repeated the feat of twelve months earlier and reached the promotion play-off's with another

5th place finish. Unfortunately, they suffered once more disappointment after this time losing by a single goal to runners-up Belper Town in the Play-Off Semi Final. However, Rushall did finish their campaign on a high note by claiming the Walsall Senior Cup for the first time in nine years as they grabbed a nail-biting 2-1 victory against Tipton Town at the Banks's Stadium in front of 550 spectators.

Rushall's 2011-12 debut campaign in the Evo-Stik League Premier Division was nothing short of an outstanding success as they gamely battled away to an excellent 8th place finish, leaving many high-profile teams with far healthier budgets firmly in their wake – but were ultimately some 11 points shy of the promotion play-off zone. The Pics were also heavily involved in cup action, reaching the finals of The Doodson Sport (League) Cup, Staffordshire Senior Cup and Walsall Senior Cup – but were unfortunately only successful in the latter, triumphing for the third time in four seasons.

The 2013-14 campaign saw the Pics once more fell short of the play-off places by the relatively slim margin of five points, ultimately finishing in 7th place as a result of succumbing to three defeats in their final five league games. There was also some mixed fortunes in cup competitions as they claimed the Staffordshire Senior Cup for only the second time in their history against Port Vale at Vale Park, but suffered a heavy defeat in the final of the Walsall Senior Cup at the hands of lower league neighbours Chasetown. Prior to the Banks's Stadium defeat in May 2014, in a surprise move the Pics had already announced that Neil Kitching had opted to end his managerial reign after five successful years at the club by mutual consent and was quickly replaced as Manager by Richard Sneekes, the former Ajax, Bolton Wanderers and West Bromwich Albion midfield maestro and his experienced assistant Steve Hinks.

Following a poor start to the 2017-18 campaign the new managerial team were ultimately relieved of their duties in October 2017 after 17 games and were replaced by former Redditch United, Hednesford Town and Solihull Moors manager Liam McDonald, ably assisted by his trusted backroom team of Nick Green, David Bridgwater and Trevor Burroughs.

The new regime worked wonders and quickly revamped the squad to lift the Pics from joint bottom of the table to a final finish of 8th place – before suffering a 12 point deduction at the end of the campaign for fielding a player in 17 league games whose contract registration was ruled not to have been approved in accordance with the league and Football Associated rules. Despite dropping down to 18th in the standings there was a positive end to the campaign by clinching the Walsall Senior Cup for the seventh time in their history following a narrow victory on penalty kicks against near neighbours Walsall Wood at the Banks's Stadium.

Unfortunately, the 2019-20 campaign was curtailed on Saturday 7 March 2020 due to the Covid-19 pandemic and all playing records were expunged, which was a major disappointment with the Pics with then sitting nicely in 5th place in the Southern League Premier Division Central standings with 33 games out of 42 played and with Birmingham and Staffordshire Senior Cup Semi-Finals still to be played, plus a Walsall Senior Cup Quarter-Final.

Sadly, season 2020-21 ultimately failed to last past the second month of competition after Southern League Premier Division Central commenced in September 2020 and no more league games were played after a second national lockdown was imposed in early November 2020 with the Pics handily placed in 4th position. Steps 3 to 6 of the National League System were then curtailed with immediate effect in February 2021.

RUSHALL OLYMPIC PLAYERS

Richard BATCHELOR

A combative midfielder and skipper with a real winning competitive streak, who predominantly plays centrally but who can also fill in out wide and even up front, he arrived at Dales Lane during November 2019 after spending the early part of the campaign with Northern Premier League Premier Division outfit Mickleover Sports.

Mitchell CLARKE

Versatile and highly regarded player who transferred to Dales Lane during summer 2019 from Southern League South Division One Central neighbours Sutton Coldfield Town for an undisclosed fee, having set his sights on a move to a higher level of football and submitting a transfer request that was reluctantly granted.

Jay CLEMENT

Highly regarded midfielder who has successfully made the step up into the first team squad at Dales Lane, having progressed through the Pics youth development system.

Callum COYLE

Skillful and energetic midfielder with an eye for a goal, he arrived at Dales Lane during summer 2021, having been with Northern Premier League Premier Division outfit Stafford Rangers for the Covid-19 curtailed 2020-21 campaign.

Jonathan FLATT

Highly rated custodian who was originally snapped up by the Pics during August 2019.

Danny GLOVER

The Pics pulled off a major coup in tempting this highly prolific goalscorer to Dales Lane after leaving neighbours Hednesford Town during late October 2020 in search of a fresh challenge.

Kristian GREEN

Vastly experienced right sided defender who transferred to Dales Lane during summer 2021 after ending the the Covid-19 curtailed 2020-21 campaign with league rivals Stourbridge One of the best defenders around at this level of football, he links up with manager

Liam McDonald for the second time in his career, having first worked together at Solihull Moors in the National League.

Tyler LYTTLE

Rated as one of the best attacking full backs at this level of football, he initially put pen-to-paper on a deal at Dales Lane during July 2018 after trialing at a Football League club and also AFC Telford United.

Bradley MANSELL

Prolific young front runner who first stepped up to the Pics First Team squad in November 2019, having rapidly progressed through the U-18's and U-21's ranks in a very short space of time.

Jourdain MASIDI

An energetic footballer who is tidy on the ball, covers every blade of grass and who likes to get forward, he transferred to Dales Lane during November 2021 from Southern League Premier Division Central rivals Bromsgrove Sporting.

Reece MITCHELL

Highly rated left sided defender who signed for the Pics from Boldmere St Michaels during July 2019 following a successful trial spell at Dales Lane.

Alex MOORE

A creative, ball-playing midfielder who is also very adept at dead-ball situations, he transferred to Dales Lane during summer 2019 from Northern Premier League South Division One Central neighbours Sutton Coldfield Town in order to challenge himself at

the next level of the National League System.

Tyrone OFORI

Highly rated front runner who arrived at Dales Lane during October 2021 from Northern Premier League Premier Division side Stafford Rangers, having originally been on the Pics transfer radar during the pre-season.

Tom PALMER

Highly rated custodian who arrived at Dales Lane during July 2021 on loan from National League North side Kidderminster extended until the end of the 2021-22 campaign

Owen PARRY

An intelligent and technically gifted footballer who brings something different to the squad, he arrived at Dales Lane during summer 2021 having played during the last six seasons or so for the Pics neighbours Boldmere St Michaels in the Midland League Premier Division.

Rackeem REID

The Pics first signing of summer 2020 when they beat off a lot of interest from elsewhere to secure the services of the exciting front runner who impressed admirers greatly during the Covid-19 pandemic curtailed 2019-20 campaign, where his goals and performances helped Leicestershire outfit Quorn AFC to top spot in the United Counties League Premier Division standings, until the premature ending.

Kory ROBERTS

The Pics pulled off a real coup in November 2021 when they beat a host of other clubs to capture the signature of the extremely versatile defender on loan from National League side Bromley until January 2022.

Ben Usher-Shipway

Highly regarded wide player who

arrived at Dales Lane for a second spell with the Pics when he rejoined in late November 2021 on a one-month loan deal from Conference National high-flyers Solihull Moors, which was then extended until the end of the 2021-22 campaign.

Tom THORLEY

The Pics pulled off a real coup in tempting the stylish midfielder to move to Dales Lane during late October 2020 from Northern Premier League outfit Stafford Rangers.

Sam WHITTALL

Highly rated utility player equally at home in central defence or central midfield, he arrived at Dales Lane during summer 2016 after ending the 2015-16 campaign with then Northern Premier League Premier Division rivals Stourbridge. and is living proof of how far the club has come in the last 6 years. Its well documented that he is a fantastic player but its also worth praising his drive and personality which we seen on the pitch and in the changing room. He's a local lad too living In Orton and just comes as a perfect fit for Peterborough Sports.

MARK JONES

Whilst Jones also has PNS and Blackstones in his CV, he really came to prominence as a high level striker at Gainsborough Trinity, Spalding United and in 2015/16 Boston United in the Conference North before joining Sports in the summer of 2016 – Born 27th September 1989.

JOSHUA MOREMAN

Quality striker Josh Moreman joined Sports from Step 4 Spalding United in February 2016. He 1st burst onto the scene as a 16 year old at PNS and was part of the UCL Cup winning squad before trying his luck higher at Corby Town & Kettering Town after a spell with Deeping Rangers – Born 4th January 1992.

DION SEMBIE-FERRIS

Dion joined last season from St Neots and had an instant and prolonged impact driving the club to winning a title last season, he is a Peterborough lad who wears his heart on his sleeve

whilst still having fantastic technical ability.

CAMERON GOW

Cam has returned to the club after leaving a few years ago and never really getting close to fulfilling his undoubted potential. An ex posh youth who was tipped for stardom but for whatever reason this has not hap






















ABDURAMANE MAMADU SANO SANI

Maniche (as he is known) joined midway through the last season after moving local from Portugal, despite PIERRE ANGE OMOMBE Pierre played at a very decent level in France and came over with the intent of proving himself in the English game. Now having had time to adapt to English culture and the English game he is ready to show everyone what he is about. A skilful lively attacker who knows where the net is.

KYLE ROWELL

Kyle has come through the Peterborough sports youth section and has caught the managers eye with some good performances in training games and pre season. A young boy who is a Left Back and plays the game with a mature head, he is definitely one to watch over the next year or two.

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NON LEAGUE ROUND UP WITH MARK MAYBURY

Bromsgrove Sporting have announced the signing of defender Dominic Perkins. The 26-year-old was most recently with United Counties League Premier Division South side Coventry United. He is a no-nonsense player with a strong character who can play at centre-back, left-back and central midfield and started his career as a youth at Championship side Birmingham City. After leaving St Andrews, he went on to have spells with Boldmere St Michaels, Redditch United, Bedworth United, Romulus, Hinckley United, Rugby Town, Walsall Wood, Hinckley AFC and Stratford Town. Manager Gavin Hurren told his club's website: "He's a strong and physical lad who will bolster the squad nicely."

Barwell have signed local based midfielder Toby Fura following his return from the United States. The 24-year-old came through the academy at Leicester City and progressed through to the under-18s before being released at the end of the 2015/16 season. In July 2016 he joined Gresley Rovers and then switched to Rugby Town in January 2017. At the end of the 2016/17 season, he was offered a scholarship in sports management at Barry University in Miami and played for the university side.

Nuneaton Borough have signed defender Kieran Blades from United Counties League Premier Division North side Quorn. The 23-year-old centre-back joined Quorn in the summer of 2021 after being with Toolstation Northern Counties East League Division One side Clipstone, initially on dual registration with Northern Premier League Division One Midlands outfit Belper Town. Blades signed for the Nailers at the start of the 2019/20 season from South Normanton Athletic and also spent time on dual registration with UCL Premier Division North side Selston that season.

Chris Nunn has resigned as manager of Biggleswade Town. Nunn was officially re-appointed as the Waders manager in August 2020 following a lengthy spell as caretaker boss after the departure of Lee Allinson to Hendon in November 2019. Nunn had stepped down from the managerial hot seat at Langford Road in April 2018 after 12 years with the club. In 2014, they won the play-offs, earning promotion to Step 3, and in 2015, they reached the FA Cup First Round for the first time in the club's history, after beating Canvey Island. This season, however, Biggleswade have struggled and Saturday's 4-1 defeat at today's visitors Rushall Olympic dropped the Waders into the bottom three. Nunn took to Twitter to say: "With a heavy heart I resigned as Waders' manager today. I'd like to thank the chairman for asking to help out over two years ago, the players and the staff over that time. The support I've received from the green army has been fantastic. I have so much love and respect for you all".

Alvechurch have signed striker Ryan Nesbitt for a second time. The 22-year-old joins from Bedworth United, who he had only signed for in late November 2021 from Northern Premier League Division One Midlands rivals Sutton Coldfield Town. He was signed by Vanarama National League club Solihull Moors in February 2019 from Sutton Coldfield and was immediately loaned back to the Royals for the remainder of the 2018/19 season. He has previous experience with Hednesford Town, Boldmere St Michaels and Chasetown where he also scored a hatful of goals. He spent the early part of the 2019/20 season on loan with Alvechurch.

Redditch United have signed midfielder Ryan Edmunds from rivals Nuneaton Borough. The 28-year-old joined Boro in November 2018 from Coleshill Town. A technically gifted player who can also score goals, he was previously with Alvechurch, Stafford Rangers and Sutton Coldfield Town. He was initially on dual registration with a then-Vanarama National League South Nuneaton before making the switch to Liberty Way a more permanent one.

He cemented himself as a fan favourite and went on to make around 80 appearances for Boro, scoring 10 times. Announcing his departure on his Twitter account, he said: "After three and a half years at Nuneaton, I've decided it's time to move on. Thanks to all the fans and everybody associated with the club for the support over the years, it's been a rollercoaster but I wouldn't have it any other way".

(With thanks to the Southern League Website for news information)

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THE NON-LEAGUE PAPER



ESSENTIAL READING FOR FOLLOWERS OF THE NATIONAL GAME

When I was a junior reporter starting out at The NLP, there was a Friday afternoon task I dreaded

Through the long summer months, and with blank pages to fill, we used to have a weekly short on every club at Steps 1 and 2.

The idea was to fill it with the latest transfer, maybe a nice little quote from the manager about how his squad was shaping up or similar.

Without naming names, there were a few clubs you didn't want on your list. Nothing against them, but there were a handful of teams where finding a fresh nib of news was not easy.

Club websites wouldn't be updated since the last time you checked. The manager's phone would have the dialling tone you hear when someone is on holiday...it was a thankless task and all part of the learning.

Of course, this was all before the days of twitter and a constant stream of updates.

Back then, people would nominate people for our Goal of the Season with a written description of the goal. If you were lucky, you'd get a hazy piece of footage to go from.

It's amazing quite how much the media landscape has changed for Non-League clubs.

Now games are filmed by automated cameras and wonder goals – the National League teams aside with their weekend embargo – are there to see within 30 minutes of the final whistle.

Ollie Babington scored a screamer for Clevedon Town at the weekend that is being mentioned as a Puskas contender and has been seen worldwide.

It's now commonplace to see Step 5 and 6 clubs using animated graphics when they score a goal, uploading interviews with managers and players, putting excellent highlights packages together, all on top of their other social media posts.

While the odd account will use their platform to hammer a referee over a perceived injustice, the majority are becoming more and more 'professional'. No doubt it has an impact on getting more people through the gate. Being proactive can make a big difference.

Dorking Wanderers have an insider documentary that is on YouTube and has millions of views on TikTok. The club say it is noticeable people have attended their games, or purchased items from the club shop, on the back of it.

There is so much high-quality content to consume and is a credit to all those who do their bit for their local club. It certainly keeps us at The NLP on our toes and helps keep our team informed on what is happening across the country.

We could even bring back those news nibs this summer...

By Matthew Badcock

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PLAYER STATISTICS SEASON 2021/22

TOTAL NUMBER OF MATCHES - 24

2021-22		SEASON TOTAL: Matches played = 35						LAMBS CAREER					
APPEARANCES AND GOALS		XI = starting eleven, PS = played sub, NPS = Non played sub XI-G = goals from starting eleven PS-G = goals from the bench											
SURNAME	FIRST NAME	XI	PS	+	NPS	XI-G	PS-G	Goals	App	+	NPS	Goals	
own goals		-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	161	
BAILEY	Ben	0	0	+	1	0	0	0	0	+	1	0	
BELL	Nyal	5	0		0	2	0	2	5		0	2	
BESWICK	Ryan	23	3	+	1	1	0	1	102	+	2	24	
BRADLEY	Dan	1	0		0	0	0	0	66	+	3	5	
BROWN	Jordaan	10	2	+	1	0	0	0	12	+	1	0	
CLEMENT	Jordan	9	8	+	5	0	0	0	74	+	16	8	
COCKERILL-MOLLETT	Callum	4	1	+	11	0	0	0	5	+	11	0	
CONCANNON	Jack	23	3	+	5	1	0	1	47	+	7	7	
COX	Chris	17	3	+	3	0	0	0	38	+	4	1	
CREANEY	Dan	18	4	+	2	12	0	12	59	+	4	28	
FALLOWS	Keelan	3	0	+	8	0	0	0	3	+	8	0	
FORDE	Aaron	22	3	+	2	2	0	2	62	+	3	3	
GRIFFIN	Callum	0	1	+	2	0	0	0	1	+	2	0	
HART	Ben	12	1	+	1	0	0	0	18	+	2	0	
HOWKINS	Cameron	2	1	+	3	0	0	0	9	+	10	0	
HURST	James	2	0		0	0	0	0	2		0	0	
JONES	Alex	5	3		0	0	0	0	8		0	0	
KININA	Nicholas	0	1	+	3	0	0	0	1	+	3	0	
LISSIMORE	Kai	1	4	+	1	0	0	0	5	+	1	0	
MORRISON	Taylor	0	1		0	0	0	0	1		0	0	
OBENG	Ahmed	1	1		0	0	0	0	33	+	8	7	
PARKER	Tom	1	1	+	1	0	0	0	2	+	1	0	
PENDLEY	Orrin	30	0		0	1	0	1	30		0	1	
SHAW	Charlie	6	5	+	4	1	0	1	38	+	39	1	
SINGH	Jasbir	32	0		0	0	0	0	122	+	1	0	
TAIT-MORAN	Michael	4	3	+	8	0	1	1	7	+	8	1	
THOMAS	Jack	24	3	+	4	1	0	1	30	+	6	1	
WALTERS	Dexter	10	10	+	2	3	0	3	30	+	19	4	
WHITTINGHAM	Shaquille	0	1		0	0	0	0	1		0	0	
WILDER	Henri	34	0		0	1	0	1	77	+	9	4	
YEOMANS	Lucas	17	4		0	0	0	0	22		0	0	
PLAYERS NO LONGER AT THE CLUB													
BIRCH	Bradley	2	2	+	2	0	0	0	4	+	2	0	
BROGAN	Max	0	0	+	3	0	0	0	0	+	3	0	
CROSS	Liam	1	0	+	1	0	0	0	1	+	1	0	
CURRIE	Isaac	2	2		0	0	0	0	4		0	0	
KELLERMANN	James	6	0		0	2	0	2	6		0	2	
MALANDJOU-KONDJO	Louis-Augustin	2	3		0	0	0	0	5		0	0	
McDONALD	Shaquille	9	4	+	2	1	2	3	24	+	3	10	
OLUSEMO	Daniel	0	1	+	1	0	0	0	1	+	1	0	
RILEY	Martin	8	4	+	4	0	0	0	12	+	4	0	
SOLEMAN	Aram	0	1	+	3	0	0	0	4	+	3	0	
STENSON	Matthew	2	0		0	2	0	2	2		0	2	
TAYLOR	Michael	6	9	+	3	2	2	4	23	+	3	6	
WAITE	Tyrell	24	3	+	1	7	1	8	113	+	3	32	
WARD	Tom	5	2	+	1	0	0	0	7	+	1	0	
YAFAI	Bilal	2	0		0	1	0	1	43	+	2	7	
LEFT WITHOUT MAKING AN APPEARANCE													
BASTOS	Kevin Da Silva	0	0		0	0	0	0	0		0	0	
MANCINELLI	Prince	0	0		0	0	0	0	0		0	0	

LEAGUE TABLE

SOUTHERN LEAGUE PREMIER CENTRAL



FROM TUESDAY

CLUB	P	W	D	L	PTS
BANBURY UNITED	27	22	3	2	69
COALVILLE TOWN	26	17	5	4	56
PETERBOROUGH SPORTS	25	16	2	7	50
RUSHALL OLYMPIC	25	13	9	3	48
ALVECHURCH	28	13	6	9	45
AFC RUSHDEN & DIAMONDS	26	13	4	9	43
LEISTON	24	12	2	10	38
ROYSTON TOWN	28	10	6	12	36
HEDNESFORD TOWN	24	8	9	7	33
STOURBIRGDE	25	9	5	11	32
NEEDHAM MARKET	23	7	9	7	30
STRATFORD TOWN	24	9	3	12	30
BARWELL	28	7	8	13	29
ST IVES TOWN	27	8	5	14	29
TAMWORTH	24	8	4	12	28
REDDITCH UNITED	26	7	7	12	28
BROMSGROVE SPORTING	25	6	9	10	28
NUNEATON BOROUGH	27	6	6	15	24
BIGGLESWADE TOWN	24	5	8	11	23
HITCHIN TOWN	25	6	5	14	23
LOWESTOFT TOWN	25	6	6	14	23

FIXTURES

TUESDAY 29TH JANUARY 2022

AFC RUSHDEN & DIAMONDS VS. STOURBRIDGE

BARWELL VS. BIGGLESWADE TOWN

BROMSGROVE SPORTING VS. LOWESTOFT TOWN

HITCHIN TOWN VS. HEDNESFORD TOWN

LEISTON VS. ALVECHURCH

NUNEATON BOROUGH VS. BANBURY UNITED

PETERBOROUGH SPORTS VS. STRATFORD TOWN

REDDITCH UNITED VS. NEEDHAM MARKET

ROYSTON TOWN VS. ST IVES TOWN

TAMWORTH VS. RUSHGALL OLYMPIC

2021-22 - FIXTURES AND RESULTS

Date	Opponents	H / A Venue	Competition	Round	H - A	Att	Goalscorers
Sat 10 Jul 21	Bedworth United	H The Lamb	Friendly	-	1 - 1	212	Bastos
Wed 14 Jul 21	West Bromwich Albion U23	H The Lamb	Friendly	-	3 - 1	390	Creaney, Waite, Walters
Tue 20 Jul 21	Coleshill Town	H The Lamb	Friendly	-	0 - 2	250	
Tue 27 Jul 21	Halesowen Town	H The Lamb	Friendly	-	1 - 1	200	Wilder
Sat 31 Jul 21	Wrexham AFC	H The Lamb	Friendly	-	0 - 5	1193	
Tue 03 Aug 21	Birmingham City	H The Lamb	Friendly	-	3 - 1	641	Creaney 2, Beswick
Sat 07 Aug 21	Chesterfield	A 1866 Sheffield Road	Friendly	-	1 - 3	BCD	Creaney
Sat 14 Aug 21	Royston Town	A Garden Walk	SLPC	Lg 01 / 40	0 - 3	427	
Tue 17 Aug 21	Coalville Town	H The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 02 / 40	1 - 1	604	Concannon
Sat 21 Aug 21	Lowestoft Town	H The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 03 / 40	6 - 1	568	Creaney 3, Beswick, Kellerman, Taylor
Sat 28 Aug 21	Redditch United	A The Valley	SLPC	Lg 04 / 40	2 - 0	490	Creaney, Wilder
Mon 30 Aug 21	Nuneaton Borough	H The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 05 / 40	3 - 0	1175	Creaney 3
Sat 04 Sep 21	Alvechurch	H The Lamb	FA Cup	1Q	3 - 1	597	Creaney, Pendley, Waite
Tue 07 Sep 21	Coalville Town	H The Lamb	SL Cup	Prelim	1 - 3	208	Walters
Sat 11 Sep 21	St Ives Town	A Westwood Road	SLPC	Lg 06 / 40	2 - 1	214	Forde, Kellerman
Tue 14 Sep 21	Peterborough Sports	A Lincoln Road	SLPC	Lg 07 / 40	0 - 2	230	
Sat 18 Sep 21	Belper Town	A Christchurch Meadows	FA Cup	2Q	5 - 0	820	Taylor 2, Walters 2, Tait-Moran
Sat 02 Oct 21	Leiston	A Victory Road	FA Cup	3Q	3 - 1	225	Creaney, Taylor, Waite
Sat 09 Oct 21	Rushall Olympic	A Dales Lane	SLPC	Lg 08 / 40	2 - 1	582	Creaney 2
Tue 12 Oct 21	Stourbridge	H The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 09 / 40	4 - 0	656	Waite 2, Creaney, o.g. Rowe-Turner
Sat 16 Oct 21	Notts County	H The Lamb	FA Cup	4Q	0 - 0	1813	-
Tue 19 Oct 21	Notts County	A Meadow Street	FA Cup	4Qr	0 - 4	2594	-
Sat 23 Oct 21	Leiston	H The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 10 / 40	1 - 3	513	McDonald
Tue 26 Oct 21	Hitchin Town	H The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 11 / 40	0 - 0	547	-
Sat 30 Oct 21	Spalding United	A Sir Halley Stewart Field	FA Trophy	3Q	1 - 1	310	McDonald - won 4-2 on pens
Tue 02 Nov 21	Lye Town	A Sport Ground	B'ham Senior Cup	2	3 - 0	100*	Forde, Shaw, Waite
Sat 06 Nov 21	Barwell	A Kirby Road Sports Ground	SLPC	Lg 12 / 40	1 - 0	504	Waite
Tue 09 Nov 21	Bromsgrove Sporting	A Victoria Ground	SLPC	Lg 13 / 40	1 - 1	605	Thomas
Sat 13 Nov 21	Colne	A Harrison Drive	FA Trophy	1R	1 - 1	294	Waite - won 4-3 on pens
Tue 16 Nov 21	Banbury United	H The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 14 / 40	0 - 4	526	-
Sat 20 Nov 21	Needham Market	A Bloomfields	SLPC	Lg 15 / 40	0 - 1	288	-
Tue 23 Nov 21	Stratford Town	H The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 16 / 40	0 - 2	323	-
Sat 27 Nov 21	Raddcliffe	A Stainton Park	FA Trophy	2R	1 - 5	384	McDonald
Tue 30 Nov 21	Biggleswade Town	A Langford Road	SLPC	Lg 17 / 40	2 - 2	120	Stenson, Waite
Tue 07 Dec 21	Alvechurch	A Lye Meadow	SLPC	Lg 18 / 40	1 - 2	224	Stenson
Tue 14 Dec 21	AFC Rushden and Diamonds	H The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 19 / 40	0 - 1	421	-
Mon 27 Dec 21	Nuneaton Borough	A Liberty Way	SLPC	Lg 20 / 40	0 - 2	962	-
Sat 08 Jan 22	Royston Town	H The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 21 / 40	2 - 0	536	Bell, Yafai
Tue 11 Jan 22	Peterborough Sports	H The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 22 / 40	0 - 2	380	-
Sat 15 Jan 22	Coalville Town	A Owen Street Sports Ground	SLPC	Lg 23 / 40	0 - 4	697	-
Tue 18 Jan 22	Leamington	A New Windmill Ground	B'ham Senior Cup	3 (QF)	1 - 3	202	Bell
Sat 22 Jan 22	Stratford Town	A Knights Lane	SLPC	Lg 24 / 40	0 - 1	461	-
Sat 29 Jan 22	Rushall Olympic	H The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 25 / 40	-	-	-
Sat 05 Feb 22	Stourbridge	A Amblecote	SLPC	Lg 26 / 40	-	-	-
Sat 12 Feb 22	Alvechurch	H The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 27 / 40	-	-	-
Sat 19 Feb 22	Leiston	A Victory Road	SLPC	Lg 28 / 40	-	-	-
Sat 26 Feb 22	Barwell	H The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 29 / 40	-	-	-
Mon 28 Feb 22	Hitchin Town	A Top Field	SLPC	Lg 30 / 40	-	-	-
Sat 05 Mar 22	Bromsgrove Sporting	H The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 31 / 40	-	-	-
Sat 19 Mar 22	AFC Rushden and Diamonds	A Hayden Road	SLPC	Lg 32 / 40	-	-	-
Sat 26 Mar 22	Needham Market	H The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 33 / 40	-	-	-
Sat 02 Apr 22	Banbury United	A Spencer Stadium	SLPC	Lg 34 / 40	-	-	-
Sat 09 Apr 22	Lowestoft Town	A Crown Meadow	SLPC	Lg 35 / 40	-	-	-
Sat 16 Apr 22	Redditch United	H The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 36 / 40	-	-	-
Mon 18 Apr 22	Hednesford Town	A Keys Park	SLPC	Lg 37 / 40	-	-	-
Sat 23 Apr 22	St Ives Town	H The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 38 / 40	-	-	-
TBC	Biggleswade Town	H The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 39 / 40	-	-	-
TBC	Hednesford Town	H The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 40 / 40	-	-	-

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Sat 07 Aug 21	Chesterfield	A	1866 Sheffield Road	Friendly	-	1	3	800	Cranney
Sat 14 Aug 21	Royston Town	A	Garden Walk	SLPC	Lg 01 / 40	0	3	427	-
Tue 17 Aug 21	Coalville Town	H	The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 02 / 40	1	1	604	Concannon
Sat 21 Aug 21	Lowestoft Town	H	The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 03 / 40	6	1	568	Cranney 3, Beswick, Kellerman, Taylor
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Tue 14 Sep 21	Peterborough Sports	A	Lincoln Road	SLPC	Lg 07 / 40	0	2	230	-
Sat 18 Sep 21	Belper Town	A	Christchurch Meadows	FA Cup	2Q	5	0	820	Taylor 2, Walters 2, Tait-Moran
Sat 02 Oct 21	Leiston	A	Victory Road	FA Cup	3Q	3	1	225	Cranney, Taylor, Waite
Sat 09 Oct 21	Rushall Olympic	A	Dales Lane	SLPC	Lg 08 / 40	2	1	582	Cranney 2
Tue 12 Oct 21	Stourbridge	H	The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 09 / 40	4	0	656	Waite 2, Cranney, o.g. Rowe-Turner
Sat 16 Oct 21	Notts County	H	The Lamb	FA Cup	4Q	0	0	1813	-
Tue 19 Oct 21	Notts County	A	Meadow Street	FA Cup	4Qr	0	4	2594	-
Sat 23 Oct 21	Leiston	H	The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 10 / 40	1	3	513	McDonald
Tue 26 Oct 21	Hitchin Town	H	The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 11 / 40	0	0	547	-
Sat 30 Oct 21	Spalding United	A	Sir Halley Stewart Field	FA Trophy	3Q	1	1	310	McDonald - won 4-2 on pens
Tue 02 Nov 21	Lye Town	A	Sport Ground	W Ham Senior Cup	2	3	0	100+	Ford, Shaw, Waite
Sat 06 Nov 21	Barwell	A	Kirby Road Sports Ground	SLPC	Lg 12 / 40	1	0	504	Waite
Tue 09 Nov 21	Bromsgrove Sporting	A	Victoria Ground	SLPC	Lg 13 / 40	1	1	605	Thomas
Sat 13 Nov 21	Colne	A	Harrison Drive	FA Trophy	1R	1	1	294	Waite - won 4-3 on pens
Tue 16 Nov 21	Barbury United	H	The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 14 / 40	0	4	526	-
Sat 20 Nov 21	Needham Market	A	Bloomfields	SLPC	Lg 15 / 40	0	1	788	-
Tue 23 Nov 21	Stratford Town	H	The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 16 / 40	0	2	323	-
Sat 27 Nov 21	Radcliffe	A	Stalton Park	FA Trophy	2R	1	5	384	McDonald
Tue 30 Nov 21	Biggleswade Town	A	Langford Road	SLPC	Lg 17 / 40	2	2	120	Searsen, Waite
Tue 07 Dec 21	Alvechurch	A	Lye Meadow	SLPC	Lg 18 / 40	1	2	224	Searsen
Tue 14 Dec 21	APC Rushden and Diamonds	H	The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 19 / 40	0	1	421	-
Mon 27 Dec 21	Nuneaton Borough	A	Liberty Way	SLPC	Lg 20 / 40	0	2	962	-
Sat 08 Jan 22	Royston Town	H	The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 21 / 40	2	0	536	Beil, Yafai
Tue 11 Jan 22	Peterborough Sports	H	The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 22 / 40	0	2	380	-
Sat 15 Jan 22	Coalville Town	A	Queen Street Sports Ground	SLPC	Lg 23 / 40	0	4	697	-
Tue 18 Jan 22	Leamington	A	New Windmill Ground	W Ham Senior Cup	3 (QF)	1	3	202	Beil
Sat 22 Jan 22	Stratford Town	A	Knights Lane	SLPC	Lg 24 / 40	0	1	461	-
Sat 29 Jan 22	Rushall Olympic	H	The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 25 / 40	-	-	-	-
Sat 05 Feb 22	Stourbridge	A	Amblecote	SLPC	Lg 26 / 40	-	-	-	-
Sat 12 Feb 22	Alvechurch	H	The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 27 / 40	-	-	-	-
Sat 19 Feb 22	Leiston	A	Victory Road	SLPC	Lg 28 / 40	-	-	-	-
Sat 26 Feb 22	Barwell	H	The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 29 / 40	-	-	-	-
Mon 28 Feb 22	Hitchin Town	A	Top Field	SLPC	Lg 30 / 40	-	-	-	-
Sat 05 Mar 22	Bromsgrove Sporting	H	The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 31 / 40	-	-	-	-
Sat 19 Mar 22	APC Rushden and Diamonds	A	Hayden Road	SLPC	Lg 32 / 40	-	-	-	-
Sat 26 Mar 22	Needham Market	H	The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 33 / 40	-	-	-	-
Sat 02 Apr 22	Barbury United	A	Spencer Stadium	SLPC	Lg 34 / 40	-	-	-	-
Sat 09 Apr 22	Lowestoft Town	A	Crown Meadow	SLPC	Lg 35 / 40	-	-	-	-
Sat 16 Apr 22	Redditch United	H	The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 36 / 40	-	-	-	-
Mon 18 Apr 22	Hednesford Town	A	Keys Park	SLPC	Lg 37 / 40	-	-	-	-
Sat 23 Apr 22	St Ives Town	H	The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 38 / 40	-	-	-	-
TBC	Biggleswade Town	H	The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 39 / 40	-	-	-	-
TBC	Hednesford Town	H	The Lamb	SLPC	Lg 40 / 40	-	-	-	-



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