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## WELCOME

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You are more than welcome to use any material (excluding attributed photographs) but it would be appreciated if any material used is acknowledged. It is hoped you enjoy reading this each week. With readership quite widespread, not only within our own competition, but across the three counties and beyond- if ANY club has anything they would like to have published in here, whether that be a request for helpers, promotion of forthcoming events, items required or available for sale please do get in touch.

The Wessex Post will be published each Saturday night. Please would all contributors note that the deadline for anything is 22:00 on the Saturday and this includes match reports- all home clubs are reminded to get their reports in before then, although if an away side does the report that will also be welcome. It should also be noted that whilst all contributions are welcome, they are subject to editorial scrutiny.

## KICK OFF



*In a reduced Premier Division one fixture schedule, it finished goalless at Victoria Park when Bournemouth (red) played East Cowes Victoria.*



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## STAT ATTACK

### TOP SIX LEADING GOALSCORERS - LEAGUE GAMES ONLY

#### PREMIER DIVISION

Duarte Martins	AFC Stoneham	12
Remus Nivon	Portland United	9
[six on ]		8

#### DIVISION ONE

Lee Vint	Ringwood Town	14
Bailey Rowe	Hamworthy United	12
Charlie Glasspool	Folland Sports	12
Ji Nash	Newport IOW	11
Ben Sunley	Colden Common	11
Harry Edmondson	Romsey Town	10

*Details are based on clubs being up to date with records on Full Time at time of publication.  
This may or may not include League goals from this weekend.*

#### PREMIER DIVISION

		<i>Top five league attendances</i>	
Petersfield Town	vs	AFC Stoneham	262 18 October
Cowes Sports	vs	Downton	236 1 November
Brockenhurst	vs	Petersfield Town	234 29 July
New Milton Town	vs	Christchurch	214 11 October
Petersfield Town	vs	Portland United	208 27 September

#### DIVISION ONE

		<i>Top five league attendances</i>	
Yateley United	vs	Frimley Green	226 2 September
Romsey Town	vs	Folland Sports	212 11 October
Whitchurch United	vs	Kintbury Rangers	204 8 October
Whitchurch United	vs	United Services Portsmouth	180 9 August
Whitchurch United	vs	Romsey Town	174 4 October

### PREMIER DIVISION- TOP THREE

#### *Sharpest Attack*

AFC Stoneham	37
[three on]	32

#### *Meanest Defence*

Petersfield Town	10
Hamble Club	11
Hamworthy Recreation	11

#### *Goals scored per Game*

AFC Stoneham	2.643
Hamble Club	2.308
Portland United	2.308

### DIVISION ONE- TOP THREE

#### *Sharpest Attack*

Colden Common	54
Yateley United	43
Whitchurch United	42

#### *Meanest Defence*

Cove	13
Whitchurch United	19
[two on]	20

#### *Goals scored per Game*

Colden Common	3.375
Whitchurch United	2.800
Frimley Green	2.714

### PREMIER DIVISION- HIGH SCORES

<b>Home win</b>	Baffins Milton Rovers	vs	Bemerton Heath Harlequins	7-1	1 November
	Baffins Milton Rovers	vs	New Milton Town	7-1	4 October
	Downton	vs	East Cowes Victoria	5-0	16 August
	Laverstock & Ford	vs	Baffins Milton Rovers	5-0	9 August
	Portland United	vs	Bemerton Heath Harlequins	6-1	16 August
	Sherborne Town	vs	Christchurch	6-1	27 September
<b>Away win</b>	Cowes Sports	vs	AFC Stoneham	0-5	30 September

### DIVISION ONE- HIGH SCORES

<b>Home win</b>	Whitchurch United	vs	United Services Portsmouth	9-0	9 August
<b>Away win</b>	Alresford Town	vs	Yateley United	2-9	20 September
	Lymington Town	vs	Fleetlands	1-8	18 October



## TOP TWENTY STEP FIVE AND STEP SIX SIDES - RATED BY POINTS PER GAME

Reproduced courtesy of the Non-League HQ team, an invaluable source of information, to find out more check them out here- <https://nonleaguehq.wixsite.com/nlhq>

League	Pos	STEP 5	Pl	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	Pts	PPG
5. SCP	1	Haywards Heath Town	14	14	0	0	49	6	43	42	3.000
5. MLP	1	Northwich Victoria	13	11	1	1	42	9	33	34	2.615
5. WLP	2	Torpoint Athletic	14	11	3	0	29	9	20	36	2.571
5. CCS	1	Cobham	16	13	2	1	58	7	51	41	2.563
5. ECP	1	Mulbarton Wanderers	12	10	0	2	31	7	24	30	2.500
5. NWP	1	Ramsbottom United	19	15	2	2	50	18	32	47	2.474
5. WXP	1	Petersfield Town	15	12	1	2	27	10	17	37	2.467
5. UCS	1	Nuneaton Town	16	12	3	1	42	17	25	39	2.438
5. WXP	2	AFC Stoneham	14	11	1	2	37	12	25	34	2.429
5. SCP	2	Steyning Town	15	11	3	1	45	19	26	36	2.400
5. SEP	1	Whitstable Town	13	10	1	2	28	15	13	31	2.385
5. NCP	1	Liversedge	17	12	4	1	37	11	26	40	2.353
5. WLP	1	Clevedon Town	17	13	1	3	37	17	20	40	2.353
5. NWP	2	Padiham	20	15	2	3	48	21	27	47	2.350
5. CCN	1	Ardley United	15	11	2	2	34	11	23	35	2.333
5. HLP	3	Slimbridge	15	11	2	2	39	16	23	35	2.333
5. NL1	1	Guisborough Town	18	13	3	2	38	17	21	42	2.333
5. ESL	1	SOUL Tower Hamlets	13	9	3	1	35	13	22	30	2.308
5. UCS	3	March Town United	15	11	1	3	37	14	23	34	2.267
5. SMP	1	Winslow United	15	11	1	3	35	17	18	34	2.267

League	Pos	STEP 6	Pl	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	Pts	PPG
6. SE1	1	Rochester United	12	12	0	0	36	4	32	36	3.000
6. SS1	1	Everett Rovers	16	15	1	0	58	12	46	46	2.875
6. SWW	1	Liskeard Athletic	15	14	1	0	46	5	41	43	2.867
6. SWE	1	Bovey Tracey	13	12	1	0	49	5	44	37	2.846
6. SE1	2	AFC Greenwich Borough	12	11	1	0	32	6	26	34	2.833
6. ML1	3	Knowle	17	15	1	1	54	12	42	46	2.706
6. SWW	2	Elburton Villa	14	12	1	1	64	16	48	37	2.643
6. UC1	1	Retford FC	19	16	2	1	55	17	38	50	2.632
6. ML1	1	Gornal Athletic	19	16	2	1	52	16	36	50	2.632
6. E1N	1	Holland	18	15	2	1	56	20	36	47	2.611
6. ML1	2	Sutton United (Birmingham)	19	16	1	2	43	12	31	49	2.579
6. SS1	3	Eaton Socon	14	12	0	2	34	12	22	36	2.571
6. CC1	1	Woodley United	18	14	4	0	43	17	26	46	2.556
6. E1N	2	Kings Park Rangers	15	12	2	1	29	8	21	38	2.533
6. NCE1	2	Harrogate Railway Athletic	19	15	3	1	49	17	32	48	2.526
6. SWE	2	Bridport	14	11	2	1	54	12	42	35	2.500
6. NCE1	1	Dearne & District	21	17	1	3	57	15	42	52	2.476
6. NW1S	1	Runcorn Town	16	12	3	1	44	11	33	39	2.438
6. NCE1	3	Worsbrough Bridge Athletic	19	15	1	3	45	26	19	46	2.421
6. WL1	1	Devizes Town	17	12	5	0	43	11	32	41	2.412

How do our teams rank across Step 5 and Step 6 nationally based on PPG.

#### STEP 5 PPG RANKING

AFC Stoneham	9
Andover New Street	102
Baffins Milton Rovers	91
Bemerton Heath Harlequins	297
Bournemouth	210
Brookenhurst	130
Christchurch	159
Cowes Sports	223
Downton	225
East Cowes Victoria Athletic	179
Hamble Club	63
Hamworthy Recreation	43
Hythe & Dibden	257
Laverstock & Ford	155
Millbrook	256
New Milton Town	313
Petersfield Town	7
Portland United	77
Sherborne Town	72
Wincanton Town	311

#### STEP 6 PPG RANKING

AFC Aldermaston	298
Alresford Town	169
Amesbury Town	202
Ash United	145
Blackfield & Langley	243
Clanfield	234
Colden Common	37
Cove	96
Fawley	265
Fleetlands	74
Folland Sports	92
Frimley Green	49
Hamworthy United	184
Kintbury Rangers	222
Lymington Town	317
Newport (Isle of Wight)	75
Ringwood Town	158
Romsey Town	116
Totton & Eling	323
United Services Portsmouth	243
Whitchurch United	25
Yateley United	149

### THROUGH THE DOORS



These attendance figures are those **reported** by the home club this season for all their games in accordance with League requirements.

They do **not** include FA Youth Cup ties but, in addition to League and League Cup games do include FA Cup, FA Vase and any County or District FA cup matches.

WEEK ENDING	TOTAL	QUALIFYING GAMES	AVG	+/- ON LAST WEEK	+/- ON LAST YEAR	RUNNING TOTAL
02-Aug-25	4,115	27	152.41	4,115	-507	4,115
09-Aug-25	3,628	31	117.03	-487	-100	7,743
16-Aug-25	3,763	37	101.70	135	-460	11,506
23-Aug-25	3,782	35	108.06	19	255	15,288
30-Aug-25	3,818	32	119.31	36	-1,764	19,106
06-Sep-25	3,307	31	106.68	-511	-809	22,413
13-Sep-25	6,244	35	178.40	2,937	2,703	28,657
20-Sep-25	2,617	29	90.24	-3,627	-704	31,274
27-Sep-25	3,032	30	101.07	415	-87	34,306
04-Oct-25	2,981	32	93.16	-51	1	37,287
11-Oct-25	3,274	30	109.13	293	514	40,561
18-Oct-25	4,012	34	118.00	738	157	44,573
25-Oct-25	2,837	29	97.83	-1,175	346	47,410
01-Nov-25	3,166	30	105.53	329	-782	50,576
08-Nov-25	3,373	30	112.43	207	281	53,949
15-Nov-25						
22-Nov-25						

## ATTENDANCE STATISTICS 2025/26

TEAM	24/25 AVGE	25/26 AVGE	+/-	+/- AS A %	25/26 BEST
AFC Aldermaston	53.05	47.86	-5.19	-9.79%	80
AFC Stoneham	113.63	112.71	-0.92	-0.81%	153
Alresford Town	113.84	99.75	-14.09	-12.38%	135
Amesbury Town	82.53	67.67	-14.86	-18.01%	77
Andover New Street	166.05	165.00	-1.05	-0.63%	187
Ash United	86.58	74.00	-12.58	-14.53%	145
Baffins Milton Rovers	132.42	90.33	-42.09	-31.78%	123
Bemerton Heath Harlequins	0.00	125.57	125.57	0.00%	185
Blackfield & Langley	88.84	65.43	-23.41	-26.35%	107
Bournemouth	72.11	72.33	0.23	0.32%	124
Brockenhurst	161.47	158.22	-3.25	-2.01%	234
Christchurch	75.95	104.17	28.22	37.16%	151
Clanfield	60.47	52.33	-8.14	-13.46%	78
Colden Common	0.00	81.40	81.40	0.00%	120
Cove	69.53	66.57	-2.95	-4.25%	98
Cowes Sports	178.21	172.43	-5.78	-3.24%	236
Downton	135.84	127.43	-8.41	-6.19%	185
East Cowes Victoria	187.32	147.29	-40.03	-21.37%	185
Fawley	80.74	83.33	2.60	3.22%	171
Fleetlands	74.05	84.25	10.20	13.77%	135
Folland Sports	64.37	65.71	1.35	2.09%	89
Frimley Green	154.89	114.29	-40.61	-26.22%	155
Hamble Club	113.05	103.83	-9.22	-8.15%	162
Hamworthy Recreation	58.05	55.67	-2.39	-4.11%	76
Hamworthy United	128.16	100.50	-27.66	-21.58%	128
Hythe & Dibden	117.53	94.50	-23.03	-19.59%	102
Kintbury Rangers	0.00	81.25	81.25	0.00%	142
Laverstock & Ford	122.42	114.40	-8.02	-6.55%	155
Lymington Town	121.26	82.67	-38.60	-31.83%	102
Millbrook	86.42	86.83	0.41	0.48%	118
New Milton Town	170.84	132.14	-38.70	-22.65%	214
Newport IOW	167.21	141.75	-25.46	-15.23%	170
Petersfield Town	0.00	175.11	175.11	0.00%	262
Portland United	182.89	150.83	-32.06	-17.53%	181
Ringwood Town	66.95	57.78	-9.17	-13.70%	65
Romsey Town	125.68	127.63	1.94	1.54%	212
Sherborne Town	140.26	120.57	-19.69	-14.04%	145
Totton & Eling	92.95	93.20	0.25	0.27%	145
United Services Portsmouth	72.84	57.75	-15.09	-20.72%	73
Whitchurch United	72.32	136.64	64.32	88.94%	204
Wincanton Town	97.47	78.70	-18.77	-19.26%	133
Yateley United	0.00	131.38	131.38	0.00%	226
Premier Division running total	16,660	Average	120.72		
Division One running total	14,592	Average	88.98		



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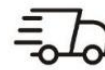
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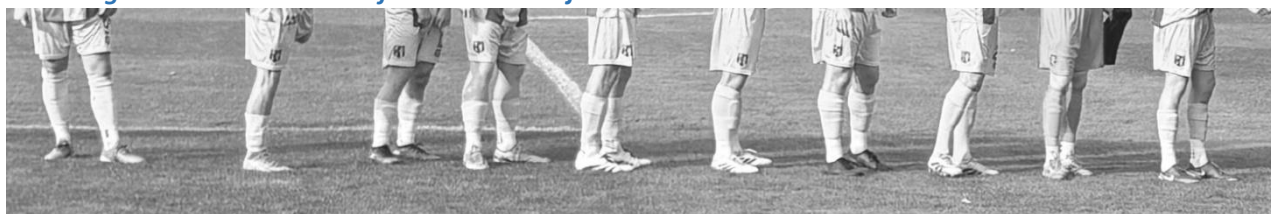
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## FIXTURES – 2025/26

*A general reminder that fixtures are subject to alteration and or cancellation at short notice.*



### **Tuesday 11 November**

#### **Dorset Senior Cup First Round**

Hamworthy Recreation v Wimborne Town  
Poole Town v Portland United  
Shaftesbury v Swanage Town & Herston  
Verwood Town v Sturminster Newton United  
Weymouth v Bridport

#### **Hampshire Servio Senior Cup Third Round**

Eastleigh v Millbrook  
Hartley Wintney v Whitchurch United  
Romsey Town v Hamble Club

#### **Russell-Cotes Benevolent Cup Second Round**

Hythe & Dibden v Andover New Street

#### **Velocity Wessex League Cup Third Round**

Laverstock & Ford v Cowes Sports  
U.S. Portsmouth v Colden Common

#### **Division One**

Lymington Town v Amesbury Town

#### **Southampton Senior Cup Third Round**

Bemerton Heath H'quins v AFC Stoneham  
Christchurch v Locks Heath  
Fawley AFC v Sporting Wessex  
Ringwood Town v Nursling & Shirley

### **Wednesday 12 November**

#### **Dorset Senior Cup First Round**

Sherborne Town v Hamworthy United

#### **Russell-Cotes Benevolent Cup Second Round**

Blackfield & Langley v Clanfield

#### **Division One**

AFC Aldermaston v Alresford Town

### **Saturday 15 November**

#### **Premier Division**

Baffins Milton Rovers v Sherborne Town  
Bemerton Heath H'quins v Portland United  
Brockenhurst v Bournemouth  
Cowes Sports v Christchurch  
East Cowes Victoria v Hamworthy Recreation  
Hamble Club v Petersfield Town  
Hythe & Dibden v AFC Stoneham  
Laverstock & Ford v New Milton Town  
Millbrook v Downton  
Wincanton Town v Andover New Street

#### **Division One**

Amesbury Town v AFC Aldermaston  
Ash United v Totton & Eling

Blackfield & Langley v Whitchurch United

Cove v Lymington Town

Fawley AFC v Folland Sports

Fleetlands v Alresford Town

Frimley Green v Kintbury Rangers

Hamworthy United v U.S. Portsmouth

Ringwood Town v Newport (IoW)

Romsey Town v Clanfield

Yateley United v Colden Common

### **Tuesday 18 November**

#### **Russell-Cotes Benevolent Cup Second Round**

Brockenhurst v AFC Stoneham

Hamble Club v Christchurch

Lymington Town v Fareham Town

U.S. Portsmouth v Liss Athletic

#### **Premier Division**

Hythe & Dibden v Bemerton Heath H'quins

Millbrook v Laverstock & Ford

#### **Division One**

Fawley AFC v Hamworthy United

Folland Sports v Colden Common

Totton & Eling v Blackfield & Langley

#### **Portsmouth Senior Cup Second Round**

Baffins Milton Rovers v Moneyfields

#### **Southampton Senior Cup Third Round**

Romsey Town v Downton

### **Wednesday 19 November**

#### **Velocity Wessex League Cup Third Round**

AFC Aldermaston v Cove

#### **Division One**

Whitchurch United v Fleetlands

### **Saturday 22 November**

#### **Premier Division**

AFC Stoneham v Baffins Milton Rovers

Andover New Street v Hamble Club

Bemerton Heath H'quins v Hamworthy Rec.

Christchurch v Hythe & Dibden

Downton v Wincanton Town

Laverstock & Ford v Cowes Sports

New Milton Town v Bournemouth

Petersfield Town v East Cowes Victoria

Portland United v Millbrook

Sherborne Town v Brockenhurst

#### **Division One**

AFC Aldermaston v Ash United



Alresford Town v Folland Sports  
Colden Common v Whitchurch United  
Fleetlands v Clanfield  
Frimley Green v Amesbury Town  
Hamworthy United v Yateley United  
Kintbury Rangers v Fawley AFC  
Newport (IoW) v Cove  
Romsey Town v Blackfield & Langley  
Totton & Eling v Ringwood Town  
U.S. Portsmouth v Lymington Town

#### **Tuesday 25 November**

##### **Somerset Premier Cup Second Round**

Wincanton Town v Shepton Mallet

##### **Russell-Cotes Benevolent Cup Second Round**

Fleetlands v Millbrook

##### **Premier Division**

Cowes Sports v Petersfield Town

Hythe & Dibden v Hamble Club

##### **Division One**

Amesbury Town v Totton & Eling

Cove v Frimley Green

##### **Aldershot Senior Cup First Round**

Ash United v Knaphill

##### **Southampton Senior Cup Third Round**

Brookhurst v New Milton Town

#### **Wednesday 26 November**

##### **Hampshire Servio Senior Cup First Round**

Blackfield & Langley v Royal Navy F.A.

##### **Hampshire Servio Senior Cup Third Round**

Baffins Milton Rovers v Southampton

#### **Saturday 29 November**

##### **Premier Division**

Andover New Street v Sherborne Town

Bournemouth v Portland United

Christchurch v Petersfield Town

Downton v New Milton Town

East Cowes Victoria v AFC Stoneham

Hamble Club v Laverstock & Ford

Hamworthy Recreation v Cowes Sports

Hythe & Dibden v Brookhurst

Millbrook v Baffins Milton Rovers

Wincanton Town v Bemerton Heath H'quins

##### **Division One**

Amesbury Town v Romsey Town

Ash United v Cove

Clanfield v Alresford Town

Colden Common v Totton & Eling

Fawley AFC v Yateley United

Folland Sports v Hamworthy United

Kintbury Rangers v U.S. Portsmouth

Lymington Town v Blackfield & Langley

Newport (IoW) v AFC Aldermaston

Ringwood Town v Fleetlands

Whitchurch United v Frimley Green

#### **Tuesday 2 December**

##### **Velocity Wessex League Cup Third Round**

Baffins Milton Rovers v Hamble Club

##### **Premier Division**

Christchurch v Millbrook

Portland United v Hamworthy Recreation

##### **Division One**

Clanfield v Whitchurch United

#### **Wednesday 3 December**

##### **Premier Division**

New Milton Town v Hythe & Dibden

Sherborne Town v Bournemouth

#### **Saturday 6 December**

##### **Isuzu FA Vase Third Round**

*Draw details awaited for our five representatives- AFC Stoneham, Amesbury Town, Downton, Hamworthy Recreation and Hythe & Dibden*

##### **Premier Division**

Baffins Milton Rovers v Andover New Street

Bemerton Heath H'quins v Christchurch

Cowes Sports v Wincanton Town

Hamble Club v Portland United

Laverstock & Ford v East Cowes Victoria

Sherborne Town v Millbrook

##### **Division One**

AFC Aldermaston v Folland Sports

Alresford Town v Colden Common

Blackfield & Langley v Kintbury Rangers

Cove v Hamworthy United

Fleetlands v Newport (IoW)

Frimley Green v Ringwood Town

Romsey Town v Fawley AFC

Totton & Eling v Lymington Town

Whitchurch United v Ash United

Yateley United v Clanfield

#### **Tuesday 9 December**

##### **Premier Division**

Downton v Baffins Milton Rovers

##### **Division One**

Folland Sports v Ringwood Town

Kintbury Rangers v Alresford Town

##### **Southampton Senior Cup Third Round**

Millbrook v Hamble Club

#### **Saturday 13 December**

##### **Velocity Wessex League Cup Third Round**

Christchurch v Brookhurst

##### **Premier Division**

AFC Stoneham v Bournemouth

Andover New Street v Petersfield Town

Cowes Sports v Portland United

East Cowes Victoria v Baffins Milton Rovers

Hamworthy Recreation v Sherborne Town

Hythe & Dibden v Downton

Millbrook v Bemerton Heath H'quins  
New Milton Town v Hamble Club  
Wincanton Town v Laverstock & Ford

#### **Division One**

Amesbury Town v Cove  
Ash United v Kintbury Rangers  
Blackfield & Langley v Newport (IoW)  
Clanfield v AFC Aldermaston  
Colden Common v U.S. Portsmouth  
Fawley AFC v Fleetlands  
Frimley Green v Folland Sports  
Hamworthy United v Alresford Town  
Lymington Town v Yateley United  
Ringwood Town v Romsey Town  
Totton & Eling v Whitchurch United

#### **Tuesday 16 December**

#### **Velocity Wessex League Cup Third Round**

Millbrook v AFC Stoneham

#### **Division One**

Cove v Ash United

#### **Saturday 20 December**

#### **Premier Division**

Andover New Street v AFC Stoneham  
Bournemouth v Hamworthy Recreation  
Brockenhurst v Bemerton Heath H'quins  
Christchurch v Wincanton Town  
Hamble Club v East Cowes Victoria  
Hythe & Dibden v Millbrook  
Laverstock & Ford v Downton  
New Milton Town v Cowes Sports  
Petersfield Town v Baffins Milton Rovers  
Sherborne Town v Portland United

#### **Division One**

AFC Aldermaston v Hamworthy United  
Alresford Town v U.S. Portsmouth

Amesbury Town v Lymington Town  
Fawley AFC v Blackfield & Langley  
Fleetlands v Colden Common  
Frimley Green v Cove  
Kintbury Rangers v Whitchurch United  
Newport (IoW) v Folland Sports  
Romsey Town v Totton & Eling  
Yateley United v Ash United

#### **Friday 26 December**

#### **Premier Division**

Cowes Sports v East Cowes Victoria [11:30]

#### **Saturday 27 December**

#### **Premier Division**

AFC Stoneham v Petersfield Town  
Baffins Milton Rovers v Hamble Club  
Bemerton Heath H'quins v Laverstock & Ford  
Bournemouth v Millbrook  
Brockenhurst v New Milton Town  
Downton v Hythe & Dibden  
Hamworthy Recreation v Andover New Street  
Portland United v Christchurch  
Wincanton Town v Sherborne Town

#### **Division One**

Ash United v Frimley Green  
Blackfield & Langley v Romsey Town  
Clanfield v U.S. Portsmouth  
Colden Common v Amesbury Town  
Cove v Yateley United  
Folland Sports v Fleetlands  
Hamworthy United v Ringwood Town  
Kintbury Rangers v AFC Aldermaston  
Lymington Town v Fawley AFC  
Totton & Eling v Newport (IoW)  
Whitchurch United v Alresford Town

### **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY- THE PLAY OFFS**

#### **PREMIER DIVISION-**

#### **END OF SEASON AND PLAY OFFS**

Last game of the season Saturday 18th April

2nd v 5th Tuesday 21st April (19:45 )

3rd v 4th Wednesday 22nd April (19:45 )

**FINAL-** Saturday 25th April (15:00 )

#### **DIVISION ONE-**

#### **END OF SEASON AND PLAY OFFS**

Last game of the season Saturday 25th April

2nd v 5th Tuesday 28th April (19:45 )

3rd v 4th Wednesday 29th April (19:45 )

**FINAL-** Saturday 2nd May (15:00 )

### **CLUB NEWS**

*If you have any items- stories, initiatives etc., you wish to include please do send them in to the Editor.*

Two additions to the Centurions club came to our attention last week, with Miles Bartam and Harry Prisk passing the 100 mark for **Romsey Town**. Meanwhile a bit further up the Test Valley Shane Lock has reached 400 appearances for **Andover New Street** some feat that, just a shame it came in a Vase defeat against Hallen this afternoon. He has hit over 150 goals in that spell.

## RESULTS

*An asterisk in this section indicates that the club failed to provide attendance and or scorer details.*



### Tuesday 4 November

#### Velocity Wessex League Cup Third Round

Ash United	0-1	Fleetlands	46
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*Curt Robbins*

Wincanton Town	3-1	Whitchurch United	48
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*Spencer Hanslip 35*

*Tyler Field 89*

*Dylan Tate 76, 90*

#### Premier Division

Brockenhurst	0-0	Laverstock & Ford	129
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#### Division One

Romsey Town	3-2	AFC Aldermaston	104
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*Harley Russell 5*

*Anthony Bossman 89*

*Brandon Hill 18, 80*

*Aush Gurung 90+1*

#### Portsmouth Senior Cup Second Round

United Services Portsmouth	0-3	Fareham Town	81
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*Matt Pates*

*Callum Neil*

*Reggie Hodan*

#### Aldershot Senior Cup First Round

Frimley Green	1-2	Alton	66
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*Rowan Sharratt 30*

*Harry Beckley 80*

*Zak Nash 90+1*

#### FA Youth Cup First Round

Hamble Club	0-6	Swindon Town	198
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*Harrison Gray 12*

*Tom Mercer 28*

*Jo Owiti 46, 86, 89*

*Zak Sowe 72*

### Saturday 8 November

#### Isuzu FA Vase Second Round

Amesbury Town	1-0	Ilminster Town	145
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*Rio Edgar 50*

Andover New Street	0-0	Hallen	218
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*[1-4 on penalties]*

Barnstaple Town	3-1	Sherborne Town	222
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*Scott Piper*

*Oli Hebbard 39*

*Luke Mortimore [2]*

Buckland Athletic <i>[12-11 on penalties]</i> <i>Ben Carter 7</i> <i>Ryan Bush 63</i>	2-2	Millbrook <i>Tommy Nelson 45+3</i> <i>Callum Drake 66</i>	161
Downton <i>Archie Whitfield 2</i> <i>Brett Pitman 37 pen, 66</i> <i>Harry McGrath 90+4</i>	4-1	Shortwood United <i>Alfie Bradshaw 87</i>	130
Hythe & Dibden <i>Josh Batt</i> <i>Harrison Fay</i> <i>Rob Flooks</i>	3-2	Thornbury Town <i>Callum Chalmers 38, 45</i>	114
Kidlington <i>Fraser Allen 20</i> <i>Otis Castle 70</i> <i>Latham Hawkins 90</i>	3-4	AFC Stoneham <i>Duarte Martins 39, 62</i> <i>Tyrrell Sampson 59, 64</i>	128
Portland United	0-0	Sturminster Newton United <i>[1-3 on penalties]</i>	258
Roman Glass St. George	0-1	Hamworthy Recreation <i>Josh Toop</i>	*
<b>Premier Division</b>			
Bemerton Heath Harlequins <i>Chris Kapend 39</i> <i>Ryan Griffiths 63</i>	2-2	Cowes Sports <i>Callum Chase 41</i> <i>George Carter-Knight 80</i>	108
Bournemouth	0-0	East Cowes Victoria	75
Christchurch <i>Lewis Freak 61</i>	1-1	Brockenhurst <i>Dylan Walker 24</i>	124
New Milton Town	0-1	Baffins Milton Rovers <i>Charlie Bell 16</i>	120
Petersfield Town <i>Harrison Cable 22</i>	1-1	Laverstock & Ford <i>Cameron Roach 55</i>	167
Wincanton Town	0-3	Hamble Club <i>Braydon Douglas [2]</i> <i>James Johnson</i>	51
<b>Division One</b>			
Alresford Town <i>George Hilton 2</i> <i>Billy Grimes 6</i>	2-0	Ringwood Town	91
Blackfield & Langley <i>Ashton Goodger 10</i>	1-4	Colden Common <i>Jimmy Walters</i> <i>Cal Archer</i> <i>Will Erdinc</i> <i>Ben Sunley</i>	79
Clanfield	0-3	Frimley Green <i>Kieran Campbell 27, 66 pen</i> <i>Harrison Davey 87</i>	54
Cove	0-0	Fleetlands	65
Fawley AFC	0-0	Ash United	55
Folland Sports <i>Charlie Glasspool</i> <i>Bayley Whitcombe</i>	2-0	United Services Portsmouth	57



Lymington Town <i>Joe Petty</i>	1-0	Romsey Town	99
Newport (IoW) <i>Joe Hancott 38</i> <i>Mikey Thompson 65</i> <i>Henry West 87</i>	3-2	Hamworthy United <i>George Deem 55 pen</i> <i>Sam Darlow 57</i>	170
Whitchurch United <i>Ant Croucher 47</i>	1-1	AFC Aldermaston <i>Jacob Wallace 83</i>	96
Yateley United <i>Alex Bourne 38</i> <i>Conor Allison 34</i> <i>Joao Jardim 82</i>	3-0	Totton & Eling	112

## MATCH REPORTS

*Whilst it is not mandatory to send in match reports, any budding Fabrizio Romano's, Henry Winter's or Miguel Delaney's are more than welcome to send in their offerings which will be included each week. Midweek reports need to be in by the Friday evening of the relevant week, whilst for Saturday games I must have them by 21:30 to allow for time to process for the publication deadline. Thanks in advance.*

### TUESDAY 4 NOVEMBER-

#### Premier Division- Brockenhurst 0-0 Laverstock & Ford

*Jon Renyard was pitchside*

THIS was, ultimately, a game of "nearly but not quite" for both sides: one of the better goalless draws, for sure, and certainly not a boring stalemate. The Badgers probably had more of the ball, but the visitors will feel that they created the better of the chances – their wingers staying wide and making the pitch as big as possible, regularly found by long raking passes... it was a game of contrasting styles with neither side quite able to impose their will on the other.

The Bulldogs created the first clear chance after 3 minutes, a neat move down the right, pulled back to Bournier on the edge of the box – the shot skied so high it might have brushed the clouds before clattering against a distant roof! They created a few chances – Roach with a shot wide and a shot high (not as high as the first!), Arnold receiving the ball in splendid isolation on the left wing and running to the edge of the box but puling the shot well wide.

For Brock, Speechley-Price was crowded out in the box (three players convening, it looked ugly but the ref wasn't interested and let's be fair to Mr Scott, he did generally try to let the game flow). Burgess fired over the bar from a presentable opportunity, made by Beale, but the clearer openings were coming at the other end, Moseley just failing to turn home at the back post after another flying move down the left, Roach with a powerful cross-shot superbly tipped away by Valero – although the Badgers might have taken the lead just before the interval, a perfect cross from the byline but Speechley-Price misjudged the header.

HT 0-0

Brock had done plenty of good things in the first half but ultimately hadn't quite been able to sort their feet (or heads) out at the vital moment – final ball not quite accurate enough, although credit too to the Laverstock defence, who were extremely well organised off the ball and restricted Brock to few sights of goal.

Chances were fewer and farther between for both teams in the second period; maybe the heavy pitch was taking its toll. There was no lack of effort, but the elusive breakthrough wouldn't come. 62 minutes, probably the closest Brock came all evening, a great run from Holmes, a turn and shot from the edge of the box – the ball fizzed past the post, keeper nowhere. Laverstock were still largely playing on the break but they were looking dangerous too – a brilliant block from Rossi but the ball rebounded to Roach, seemingly in on goal, Rossi back to challenge. Sub Cegiela ran unchallenged to the edge of the box but shot well wide; 12 minutes to go, a better chance for Cegiela, expertly saved by Valero... and then the closest the visitors

came, 80 minutes, Moseley with a great run and shot across goal, Cegiela arriving but unable to apply the final touch.

A flurry of excitement in injury time, a couple of Badger half-chances followed by a quick break from the visitors – Sykes maybe took too long over his shot and it was blocked – back up the other end, Speechley-Price from 25 yards, over the bar, and the game was done.

FT 0-0

**SATURDAY 8 NOVEMBER-  
DIVISION ONE- Newport IOW 3-2 Hamworthy United**

*John Davies was pitchside*

NEWPORT and Hamworthy quite rightly each season harbour promotion ambitions and on the evidence of today's game both should be up there again come next April after producing an excellent game in front of Newport's biggest crowd of the season, 170.

From the off the game always looked like producing goals, Will Butler immediately having to react to stop Ji Nash scoring in the first minute, 5 minutes later recent signing Kudzi Mazambara couldn't quite get organised at the far post and sent an effort wide.

When Ji Nash on the half hour mark hit the post with an acrobatic effort the Port faithful feared the ghost of Clanfield last week was coming back to haunt them, and but for a fine stop with his legs by Leon Pitman they could have gone in behind. On an afternoon when Joe Butcher picked up October's goal of the month award for his winner against Frimley Green, Joe HANCOTT staked his claim for November's prize by 5 minutes before half time unleashing a left footed thunderbolt that left Butler with no chance as it dipped and swerved.

HT 1-0

A solitary goal lead was clearly never going to be enough against an attack as potent as Hamworthy's, having scored 4 away at Frimley last week they were always going to create, they levelled through a George DEEM penalty after Matt Benford inadvertently handled, then after Joe Butcher had missed a one on one chance seizing on a short back pass, Hamworthy promptly took the lead with a well-placed shot from the edge of the box from Sam DARLOW. To their enormous credit Newport's response was superb, straight onto the front foot they were soon level when Man of the Match Mikey THOMPSETT rose highest at a corner to thump home a header.

After both sides introduced numerous substitutions the game continued to remain open, a good watch for the neutral, stressful for both benches. With the home defence becoming dominant through the sheer work rate and combativity of Waterson, Benford, Thompsett and West; Port pressed for the winner, the moment the majority of the crowd craved duly arrived, with 3 minutes on the clock substitute Harry Taylor took down a cross field pass with an outrageous bit of skill, slid the ball inside left where fellow substitute Henry WEST drove into the box and duly buried the ball past Butler into the net to send the ground into raptures, Newport saw out a couple of remaining corners and duly took 3 points when after 6 minutes of stoppage time the referee blew.

FT 3-2

*A cracking game , played between two good sides on a beautiful pitch in warm autumn sunshine, expect both to be up there in or around the play offs come April.*

**SATURDAY 8 NOVEMBER-  
ISUZU FA VASE SECONBD ROUND- Amesbury Town 1-0 Ilminster Town**

*Mark Hilton was pitchside*

A brilliant free kick from substitute Rio Edgar on 50 minutes was enough to see Amesbury Town through to the third round of the FA Vase for the first time since 1979/80 season (when chairman Gino Nardiello scored in a 2-4 defeat at Hungerford Town).

The first half was a tight, sometimes niggly, affair. Amesbury had the best chance when, after a good build up Ben Morris fired low from the right of the goal only to see visiting keeper Shay Allen make a smart save down at his post.

Honours even at half time and all to play for.

HT 0-0

Five minutes into the second half Tyler Brockway was fouled on the edge of the box. Robbie Owen and Rio Edgar stood over the ball, EDGAR stepping forward to fire the ball over the wall into the top corner of the net to send most of the 145 crowd wild.

Ilminster were dealt a big blow on 67 minutes when Jake Mawford received a second yellow card for a clumsy challenge on Jack Higdon. Five minutes later Arran Moore had a shot saved by Allen at his post and eventually the ball came back out to Harry Yeadon who blasted over. Edgar forced another smart save from Allen and Jack Vallis tried an overhead kick late on from a corner and Moore touched the ball home only to find the assistant had raised his flag for offside.

Young substitute Alfie Pawlak-Walsh charged down an Allen clearance, the ball coming to the middle of the park where the ball was launched back towards the open goal from 35 yards and just wide of the open goal. Amesbury's defence stayed strong throughout the game and Mike Horne was rarely troubled and Amesbury were able to comfortably see out the game and now go into the hat for the draw for the next round.

FT 1-0

#### **SATURDAY 8 NOVEMBER- PREMIER DIVISION- Christchurch 1-1 Brockenhurst**

*Jon Renyard was pitchside*

THIS wasn't quite the classic "game of two halves", but not far short. In the first period, the Badgers were dominant: controlling the ball and territory but not finding their cutting edge to turn it into goals. Possession, position and a home defence which seemed on the verge of panic on several occasions but, credit to the Church, they dug in and they cleared pretty much everything thrown at them.

There was one notable exception; 24 minutes, Dylan WALKER picking up the ball on the left, cutting inside, shot blocked but straight back to him so he took the ball past another player and found the far corner from the edge of the box. A stunning goal, the least the Badgers deserved, but there was that lingering feeling that they might be made to pay for not creating the chances to extend the lead. Well into injury time they were given a reminder of why that mattered – one long ball forward, chased down by Joe Freak (who covered an astonishing amount of ground all afternoon), managed to get a shot away from a tight angle – saved by Valero but the rebound back to Freak and he drove it across goal but nobody had followed him in and that was half-time.

HT 0-1

The hosts made a couple of tweaks at half-time and played with a bit more intensity. Brock survived the first five-minute onslaught and seemed to have regained their control, but Church grabbed that initiative back with some real energy, doubling up on Holmes and gradually winning the midfield battle. Toghill shot wide from a presentable position... then on the hour, the hosts won a corner which somehow went straight through the area, flicking off a defender for another corner – this one leading to pinball in the box before Lewis FREAK smashed home the equaliser.

Half an hour to go, but the defences were mostly on top for the remainder of the game, with remarkably little goalmouth action. Brock didn't get the rub of many decisions, especially in their attacking third, but for the second time in a week they didn't really create enough, while mostly keeping their opponents at arm's length. A draw was, ultimately, probably fair enough.

FT 1-1

### **NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH**

*Fixtures listed are published in good faith and are subject to alteration or cancellation at short notice.  
In this section, an [\*] in any table means point adjustments have been made.*

### **NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH- DORSET PREMIER LEAGUE**

#### **RESULTS**

**Tuesday 4 November**

Bridport Reserves 0-5 Portland United Reserves

**Wednesday 5 November**

Wimborne Town Reserves 2-1 Verwood Town

**Saturday 8 November**

Blandford United 2-1 Bournemouth Electric

Gillingham Town 1-3 Balti Sports

Hamworthy United Reserves 0-3 Hamworthy Recreation Reserves

Holt United 1-0 Bridport Reserves

Poole Borough 0-2 Swanage Town &amp; Herston

Verwood Town 0-5 Cobham Sports

Westland Sports 1-2 Sherborne Town Reserves

Wimborne Town Reserves 1-2 Dorchester Sports

**Hampshire Senior Trophy Second Round**

Brading Town 3-4 Bournemouth Sports

**TABLE**

POS	DORSET PREMIER	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Cobham Sports	15	13	2	0	63	15	48	41
2	Blandford United	14	12	0	2	38	15	23	36
3	Dorchester Sports	14	11	2	1	32	9	23	35
4	Swanage Town & Herston	15	9	3	3	46	25	21	30
5	Sherborne Town Reserves	17	10	0	7	32	33	-1	30
6	Bournemouth Sports	14	8	3	3	44	26	18	27
7	Bournemouth Electric	12	8	2	2	35	17	18	26
8	Holt United	15	8	2	5	26	20	6	26
9	Balti Sports	16	7	2	7	43	32	11	23
10	Hamworthy Recreation Reserves	16	6	3	7	21	30	-9	21
11	Westland Sports	13	6	1	6	30	20	10	19
12	Wimborne Town Reserves	17	6	1	10	30	43	-13	19
13	Hamworthy United Reserves	16	5	1	10	23	48	-25	16
14	Verwood Town	17	4	2	11	16	41	-25	14
15	Portland United Reserves	14	3	2	9	14	34	-20	11
16	Gillingham Town	16	2	2	12	21	37	-16	8
17	Bridport Reserves	15	1	3	11	17	50	-33	6
18	Poole Borough	16	0	3	13	10	46	-36	3

**FIXTURES****Tuesday 11 November****Dorset Senior Cup First Round**

Shaftesbury v Swanage Town &amp; Herston

Verwood Town v Sturminster Newton United

**Saturday 15 November**

Blandford United v Swanage Town &amp; Herston

Bournemouth Electric v Cobham Sports

Bournemouth Sports v Hamworthy United Reserves

Dorchester Sports v Westland Sports

Poole Borough v Wimborne Town Reserves

Verwood Town v Holt United

Gillingham Town v Bridport Reserves

**Dorset & Somerset Air Ambulance Senior Trophy Second Round**

Portland United Reserves v Balti Sports

Sherborne Town Reserves v Hamworthy Recreation Reserves



## NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH- UHLSPORT HAMPSHIRE PREMIER LEAGUE

### RESULTS

#### Saturday 8 November

AFC Shirley 0-0 Denmead

Andover Town 3-0 Liss Athletic

Bishops Waltham Dynamos 1-1 Hedge End Rangers

Crofton Saints 6-1 Southsea Sports

Hook 1-0 Whitehill & Bordon

Moneyfields Reserves 4-0 Broughton

#### Hampshire Senior Trophy Second Round

Liss Athletic Reserves 1-4 Locks Heath

#### Aldershot Intermediate (Mark Coombs) Cup First Round

Hartley Wintney Reserves 1-3 Liphook United

### TABLE

POS	HAMPSHIRE PREMIER	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Crofton Saints	13	9	3	1	36	12	24	30
2	Hook	15	9	2	4	32	21	11	29
3	Locks Heath	11	9	0	2	32	8	24	27
4	AFC Shirley	14	8	3	3	28	18	10	27
5	Liss Athletic	13	7	1	5	26	22	4	22
6	Hedge End Rangers	14	6	4	4	22	18	4	22
7	Denmead	13	6	3	4	30	21	9	21
8	Moneyfields Reserves	11	5	1	5	24	21	3	16
9	Bishops Waltham Dynamos	13	4	4	5	24	22	2	16
10	Whitehill and Bordon	14	4	4	6	24	36	-12	16
11	Broughton	13	4	2	7	21	28	-7	14
12	Meon Milton	11	3	4	4	17	19	-2	13
13	Southsea Sports	12	3	2	7	23	32	-9	11
14	Liphook United	12	2	2	8	13	29	-16	8
15	Stockbridge	13	2	2	9	22	43	-21	8
16	Andover Town	12	2	1	9	14	38	-24	7

### FIXTURES

#### Wednesday 12 November

#### Aldershot Intermediate (Mark Coombs) Cup Second Round

Abbey Rangers Development v Liss Athletic

#### Saturday 15 November

Broughton v Moneyfields Reserves

Hook v Crofton Saints

Liss Athletic v Southsea Sports

Stockbridge v Liphook United

#### George Mason Memorial Shield Quarter Final

Meon Milton v Bishops Waltham Dynamos

Silchester Village v Andover Town

#### uhlsport Hampshire Premier League Cup Quarter Final

Denmead v AFC Shirley

Whitehill and Bordon v Locks Heath

#### Hampshire Senior Trophy Second Round

Hedge End Rangers v AFC Dukes

## NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH- CORSHAM PRINT WILTSHIRE SENIOR LEAGUE

### RESULTS

#### Saturday 8 November

Calne Town Reserves 1-1 Pewsey Vale  
 Devizes Town Reserves 0-5 Royal Wootton Bassett Town Development  
 Larkhall Athletic Development 1-4 Shrivenham  
 Park United 4-1 Bemerton Heath Harlequins Reserves  
 Purton Kingsdown 0-3 Swindon Supermarine Development  
 Shrewton United 8-0 Down Ampney  
 Trowbridge Town 2-1 Melksham Town Reserves  
 Wroughton 3-3 Cricklade Town

#### Charles Twelftree Trophy Third Round

Abingdon United Development 1-1 Faringdon Town [9-8 on penalties]  
 Westwood Wanderers 3-2 Letcombe

### TABLE

POS	WILTSHIRE SENIOR	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Shrewton United	17	14	2	1	70	19	51	44
2	Swindon Supermarine Dev	19	13	1	5	52	31	21	40
3	Larkhall Athletic Dev	17	11	4	2	44	19	25	37
4	Melksham Town Res	19	11	4	4	46	28	18	37
5	Letcombe	17	9	6	2	30	18	12	33
6	Royal W Bassett Town Dev	18	9	5	4	38	23	15	32
7	Pewsey Vale	18	8	7	3	33	16	17	31
8	Shrivenham	17	8	2	7	37	34	3	26
9	Purton Kingsdown	19	6	5	8	37	41	-4	23
10	Faringdon Town	16	5	6	5	17	19	-2	21
11	Cricklade Town	17	4	5	8	35	47	-12	17
12	Down Ampney	17	5	2	10	30	47	-17	17
13	Bemerton H H Res	19	5	2	12	23	41	-18	17
14	Park United	17	5	1	11	23	32	-9	16
15	Devizes Town Res	18	4	3	11	25	49	-24	15
16	Trowbridge Town	18	4	3	11	22	47	-25	15
17	Wroughton [*]	15	4	3	8	23	39	-16	12
18	Calne Town Res	18	1	3	14	23	58	-35	6

### FIXTURES

#### Saturday 15 November

Devizes Town Reserves v Cricklade Town  
 Melksham Town Reserves v Park United  
 Royal W Bassett Town Development v Wroughton  
 Shrewton United v Bemerton Heath Harlequins Reserves  
 Shrivenham v Letcombe  
 Faringdon Town v Calne Town Reserves  
 Trowbridge Town v Larkhall Athletic Development

#### Fountain Trophies Senior Cup First Round

Pewsey Vale v Purton Kingsdown

#### Fountain Trophies Senior Cup Second Round

Swindon Supermarine Development v Marlborough Town

#### Gloucestershire Senior Amateur Cup Third Round

Down Ampney v English Bicknor

### RESULTS

#### Under 18 Premier Division

Fareham Town Black 1-8 Hamble Club  
Gosport Borough 11-0 AFC Stoneham  
Winchester City Red 7-0 Wimborne Town Black

#### Under 18 East Division

Baffins Milton Rovers 2-4 AB66 Portsmouth  
Clanfield 0-8 Winchester City Blue  
Fareham Town Reds 3-0 Meon Milton  
Hayling United 3-2 Bishops Waltham Dynamos

#### Under 18 West Division

AFC Totton 0-13 Ringwood Town  
Romsey Town 2-5 Pace

#### Monday 3 November

##### Hampshire Combination Under 23 Cup 2nd Round

North Waltham 0-4 Millbrook

#### Tuesday 4 November

##### John Stimpson Memorial Shield 2nd Round

U.S. Portsmouth 7-1 Hayling United U23

#### Under 23 Premier Division

AFC Stoneham 3-4 Ringwood Town

#### Under 23 Division 1

Bemerton Heath Harlequins 9-0 Clanfield

#### Wednesday 5 November

##### Under 23 Premier Division

Hedge End Rangers 1-5 Hamble Club  
Lymington Town 0-9 Fareham Town  
Poole Town 2-5 Dorchester Town

#### Under 23 Division 1

Whiteley Wanderers 2-4 New Milton Town *(at New Milton)*

#### Thursday 6 November

##### John Stimpson Memorial Shield 3rd Round

Laverstock & Ford 3-3 Folland Sports U23 *[4-2 on penalties]*

#### Under 23 Premier Division

Winchester City 6-0 Select Generation

#### Under 23 Division 1

Blackfield & Langley 4-3 Verwood Town

#### Saturday 8 November

##### Hampshire Combination Challenge Cup 2nd Round

Meon Milton 2-3 Southsea Sports  
Ringwood Town 0-0 Millbrook *[abandoned on 60 minutes due to a player injury]*

#### Premier Division

Brockenhurst 1-1 AFC Stoneham  
Laverstock & Ford 4-4 Downton  
U.S. Portsmouth 1-3 Petersfield Town

#### Division One

Liphook United 3-2 Fawley AFC

# TABLES

POS	PREMIER DIVISION	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Petersfield Town	8	5	1	2	22	19	3	16
2	United Services Portsmouth	6	5	0	1	19	3	16	15
3	Laverstock & Ford	7	4	1	2	39	19	20	13
4	Brockenhurst	6	3	2	1	17	11	6	11
5	AFC Stoneham	5	3	1	1	22	6	16	10
6	Ringwood Town	6	3	0	3	14	13	1	9
7	Millbrook	7	2	2	3	16	12	4	8
8	AFC Portchester	5	1	0	4	5	24	-19	3
9	Lymington Town	4	1	0	3	3	23	-20	3
10	Clanfield	6	1	0	5	9	30	-21	3
11	Downton	4	0	1	3	7	13	-6	1

POS	DIVISION ONE	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Amesbury Town	8	5	1	2	27	10	17	16
2	Liss Athletic	6	4	2	0	15	5	10	14
3	Southsea Sports	9	4	1	4	21	22	-1	13
4	Clanfield Development	8	3	1	4	20	19	1	10
5	Meon Milton	6	3	1	2	18	18	0	10
6	Liphook United	9	3	0	6	15	27	-12	9
7	Fawley AFC	8	2	2	4	20	25	-5	8
8	Hedge End Rangers	6	2	0	4	13	13	0	6
9	Hythe & Dibden	4	2	0	2	8	18	-10	6

POS	U23 PREMIER	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Poole Town U23	9	4	2	3	22	22	0	14
2	Winchester City U23	4	4	0	0	18	1	17	12
3	Ringwood Town U23	5	4	0	1	15	8	7	12
4	Fareham Town U23	5	3	0	2	18	7	11	9
5	Dorchester Town U23	4	3	0	1	14	9	5	9
6	AFC Stoneham U23	5	2	0	3	12	11	1	6
7	Hedge End Rangers U23	4	2	0	2	8	8	0	6
8	Lymington Town U23	8	1	1	6	5	31	-26	4
9	Hamble Club U23	2	1	0	1	8	8	0	3
10	Select Generation U23	6	0	1	5	7	22	-15	1

POS	U23 DIVISION ONE	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Bemerton Heath Harlequins U23	6	6	0	0	28	5	23	18
2	Romsey Town U23	7	5	1	1	19	12	7	16
3	Millbrook U23	6	5	0	1	21	9	12	15
4	North Waltham U23	7	4	0	3	23	16	7	12
5	New Milton Town U23	6	3	1	2	13	12	1	10
6	Clanfield U23	7	2	1	4	8	25	-17	7
7	Blackfield & Langley U23	6	2	0	4	16	22	-6	6
8	Folland Sports U23	3	1	1	1	6	4	2	4
9	Verwood Town U23	3	1	0	2	7	7	0	3
10	Laverstock & Ford U23	5	1	0	4	12	17	-5	3
11	Hayling United U23	6	0	2	4	6	18	-12	2
12	Whiteley Wanderers U23	6	0	2	4	4	16	-12	2



POS	U18 PREMIER	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Gosport Borough U18	8	7	1	0	55	5	50	22
2	Cobham Sports U18	7	5	1	1	29	14	15	16
3	Winchester City Red U18	7	5	1	1	32	7	25	16
4	Moneyfields U18	7	4	0	3	19	15	4	12
5	Fareham Town Black U18	8	3	2	3	13	23	-10	11
6	Hamble Club U18	5	3	0	2	18	13	5	9
7	Petersfield Town U18	7	2	1	4	13	27	-14	7
8	AFC Stoneham Knights U18	5	1	0	4	4	21	-17	3
9	Wimborne Town Black U18	8	1	0	7	13	28	-15	3
10	Poole Town U18	6	0	0	6	5	48	-43	0

POS	U18 EAST	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Winchester City Blue U18	8	6	0	2	25	8	17	18
2	AB66 Portsmouth U18	6	5	0	1	40	7	33	15
3	Meon Milton U18	6	5	0	1	15	5	10	15
4	Eastleigh Spitfires U18	6	4	1	1	22	11	11	13
5	Baffins Milton Rovers U18	6	3	1	2	16	12	4	10
6	Fareham Town Reds U18	6	3	1	2	16	18	-2	10
7	Horndean U18	6	3	1	2	18	13	5	10
8	Hayling United U18	8	2	2	4	10	16	-6	8
9	Havant & Waterlooville U18	4	2	1	1	13	8	5	7
10	Sholing Black U18	6	2	0	4	13	15	-2	6
11	Bishops Waltham Dynamos U18	5	1	0	4	11	16	-5	3
12	Clanfield U18	7	0	1	6	6	41	-35	1
13	United Services Portsmouth U18	6	0	0	6	1	36	-35	0

POS	U18 WEST	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Cowes Sports U18	6	5	0	1	22	11	11	15
2	Pace U18	5	4	0	1	15	8	7	12
3	Ringwood Town U18	5	4	0	1	28	7	21	12
4	Eastleigh 1946 U18	5	3	1	1	9	7	2	10
5	Brockenhurst U18	7	3	1	3	26	15	11	10
6	Salisbury U18	3	3	0	0	12	4	8	9
7	Bemerton Heath Harlequins U18	4	2	1	1	9	6	3	7
8	Bashley U18	4	2	0	2	12	10	2	6
9	Millbrook U18	5	1	1	3	8	9	-1	4
10	AFC Totton Yellow U18	2	0	0	2	1	17	-16	0
11	Christchurch U18	5	0	0	5	6	28	-22	0
12	Romsey Town U18	7	0	0	7	10	36	-26	0

## FIXTURES

### Sunday 9 November

#### Under 18 East Division

Hayling United v Clanfield

#### Under 18 West Division

AFC Totton v Millbrook

Salisbury v Pace

### Monday 10 November

#### Under 23 Premier Division

Select Generation v Dorchester Town

### Tuesday 11 November

#### Under 23 Premier Division

Ringwood Town v AFC Stoneham

### Under 23 Division 1

Clanfield v Bemerton Heath Harlequins

### Wednesday 12 November

#### Under 23 Premier Division

Fareham Town v Lymington Town

Hamble Club v Hedge End Rangers

#### Division 1

New Milton Town v Romsey Town

Verwood Town v North Waltham

### Thursday 13 November

#### Under 23 Premier Division

Winchester City v Poole Town

#### Division 1

Folland Sports v Blackfield & Langley

Laverstock & Ford v Whiteley Wanderers

### Saturday 15 November

#### Premier Division

AFC Stoneham v Clanfield

Downton v Brockenhurst

Lymington Town v Ringwood Town

Petersfield Town v Millbrook

U.S. Portsmouth v Laverstock & Ford

#### Division 1

Clanfield Development v Liss Athletic

Hedge End Rangers v Amesbury Town

Liphook United v Hythe & Dibden

Southsea Sports v Meon Milton

## ISLE OF WIGHT GOLD CUP- 2025/26 THE STORY SO FAR

### First Round

Ventnor 24-1 High Park

### Second Round

Brading Town 3-0 Osborne Coburg [A-W awarded due to a rule infringement]

Shanklin 4-1 Northwood St John

West Wight 1-3 Bembridge & Vectis

Ventnor 4-0 Oakfield

### Quarter Final [dates to be confirmed]

Cowes Sports v Ventnor

East Cowes Victorias v Osborne Coburg

Newport IOW v Bembridge & Vectis

Whitecroft & Barton Sports v Shanklin

*Current holders are Cowes Sports who beat East Cowes Victoria 2-1 at Westwood Park on 10 May, where the attendance was reported as 982.*



## NORTH HANTS SENIOR CUP- 2025/26 THE STORY SO FAR

### First Round

Alresford Town 0-2 Andover New Street

**Quarter Final-** *organisers have requested these games are completed by end of January 2026*

Andover New Street v Andover Town

Basingstoke Town v Whitchurch United

Hook v Broughton

Romsey Town v Stockbridge

## M27 TEN DAY CLOSURE

In case you missed it here in the last two editions, if you're planning on travelling on the M27 over Christmas, then forward planning is advised. The M27 motorway will be closed completely, in both directions, between Junctions 9 (Whiteley) and 11 (Fareham), from 20:00, 24 December 2025 to 04:00, on Sunday 4 January 2026. The closure is required to put in place a new four-lane wide underpass beneath the M27, using an innovative 'box slide' engineering technique. Using this method means that many months of lane restrictions, speed limits, and overnight works can be avoided.

The giant pre-constructed concrete structure - weighing approximately 8,500 tonnes (2.5 times heavier than HMS Victory) - will be slid 65 metres into a deep trench cut into the motorway embankment, from its current construction location on the north of the motorway.

The motorway will then be fully reconstructed above it.

### Key information road users need to know during the closure period:

There will be a signed diversion route in place along the A27, which is mostly two lanes in each direction, during the closure. This route is expected to be busy, particularly between 10:00 and 16:00 every day when drivers should be prepared for extended delays. Road users should aim to plan their journey in advance and consider alternatives including public transport, travelling during less busy times, using different routes, or considering if their journey is really necessary.

Drivers will be able to exit the M27 westbound at Junction 11 for Fareham and Gosport, and eastbound at Junction 9 for Whiteley and Park Gate. However, there will be no westbound entry to the M27 at Junction 11 for traffic heading towards Southampton or the A32 (Alton), and no eastbound entry at Junction 9 for traffic heading towards Portsmouth.

## ISUZU FA VASE SECOND ROUND – BACKGROUND AND RESULTS

*Results from the FA website as at 20:30 today*

1	Cheadle Town	NWC - P	0-0	North Shields (XX) [1-3 on pens]	NL - 1
2	Carlisle City (x)	NL - 1	2-2	Rossington Main [5-6 on pens]	NCE - P
3	Redcar Town	NL - 2	0-2	Chadderton	NWC - P
4	South Liverpool (x)	NWC - P	4-0	Barton Town	NCE - P
5	Burscough	NWC - P	3-1	Ashton Town (x)	NWC - 1N
6	Liversedge	NCE - P	2-1	Atherton Laburnum Rovers (XX)	NWC - P
7	Brigg Town	NCE - 1	1-2	West Didsbury & Chorlton (XX)	NWC - P
8	Albion Sports (XX)	NCE - P	3-2	Wythenshawe	NWC - P
9	Charnock Richard	NWC - P	0-2	Nelson	NWC - 1N
10	Yarm & Eaglescliffe	NL - 2	[Sun]	Fulwood Amateurs	NWC - 1N
11	Droylsden	NWC - 1N	4-2	Northwich Victoria	MID - P
12	Prestwich Heys [4-2 on pens]	NWC - P	0-0	Irlam	NWC - P
13	Crook Town (XX)	NL - 1	0-4	Ramsbottom United	NWC - P
14	Barnoldswick Town	NWC - P	1-2	Winsford United (x)	MID - P
15	Desborough Town	SSM - 1	3-1	Daventry Town (XX)	UC - PS
16	Newport Pagnell Town	UC - PS	1-2	Northampton ON Chenecks (x)	UC - PS
17	Hanley Town	MID - P	3-1	Kimberley Miners Welfare	UC - PN
18	Gornal Athletic	MID - 1	3-0	Atherstone Town	UC - PS
19	Winslow United	SSM - P	2-3	Bilston Town	MID - 1
20	GNG Oadby Town	UC - PS	1-6	Clay Cross Town (XX)	UC - PN
21	Coventry United	UC - PS	5-0	Heanor Town (XX)	UC - PN
22	Whitchurch Alport (XX)	MID - P	3-6	Radford	UC - 1
23	Retford United	UC - 1	2-1	Aylestone Park	UC - PS
24	Sherwood Colliery	UC - PN	1-0	Dudley Town	MID - P
25	Grantham Town [3-2 on pens]	UC - PN	2-2	Abbey Hulton United (XX)	MID - P

26	Nuneaton Town	UC - PS	[Sun]	Sandiacre Town	UC - 1
27	Sutton United (XX)	MID - 1	4-1	Gresley Rovers	UC - PN
28	Heather St. Johns	MID - 1	3-1	Eastwood Community	UC - PN
29	Haringey Borough	SSM - P	3-1	Eynesbury Rovers	UC - PS
30	Thetford Town (x)	ECO - P	1-1	Lymore Gardens [3-4 on pens]	EC - 1S
31	White Ensign (XX)	ESS -	1-4	Great Yarmouth Town (x)	ECO - P
32	AFC Welwyn	SSM - P	2-2	Cockfosters [3-4 on pens]	SSM - P
33	Whittlesey Athletic	EC - 1N	1-3	Soul Tower Hamlets	ESS -
34	Little Oakley	ESS -	0-1	Harpenden Town (x)	SSM - P
35	Dereham Town (XX)	ECO - P	2-1	Eaton Socon	SSM - 1
36	Walsham Le Willows (XX)	ECO - P	1-2	Benfleet	ESS -
37	Halesworth Town	EC - 1N	3-1	Haverhill Rovers	ECO - P
38	Saffron Walden Town	ESS -	3-2	March Town United (XX)	UC - PS
39	Eastbourne United	SC - P	1-0	Epsom & Ewell (XX)	CC - PS
40	Windsor & Eton (x)	CC - PN	2-0	Bearsted	SCE - P
41	London Samurai Rovers	CC - 1	0-2	Haywards Heath Town	SC - P
42	Tunbridge Wells (x)	SCE - P	4-0	Sheerwater	CC - PS
43	Punjab United	SCE - P	2-1	Tadley Calleva (x)	CC - PS
44	Reading City	CC - PN	1-0	Erith & Belvedere (XX)	SCE - P
45	Infinity	SC - 1	1-2	Whitstable Town (XX)	SCE - P
46	Crawley Down Gatwick (XX)	SC - P	3-2	Kennington	SCE - P
47	Snodland Town	SCE - P	4-2	Guernsey	SC - P
48	Berks County [4-3 on pens]	CC - 1	0-0	Sutton Athletic	SCE - P
49	Fisher	SCE - P	2-1	Balham	CC - PS
50	Faversham Strike Force	SCE - P	5-0	S.E. Dons	SCE - 1
51	Fleet Town (XX)	CC - PS	3-1	Corinthian	SCE - P
52	Hythe Town	SCE - P	1-1	Burnham (x) [3-4 on pens]	CC - PN
53	Ivybridge Town	WST - P	0-5	Slimbridge	HEL - P
54	Cinderford Town [5-3 on pens]	HEL - P	1-1	Helston Athletic	WST - P
55	Downton (x)	WSX - P	4-1	Shortwood United	HEL - 1
56	Hythe & Dibden	WSX - P	3-2	Thornbury Town	HEL - P
57	Barnstaple Town	WST - P	3-1	Sherborne Town	WSX - P
58	Buckland Athletic [12-11 on opens]	WST - P	2-2	Millbrook (Southampton)	WSX - P
59	Bovey Tracey	SWP - E	4-1	Corsham Town	HEL - P
60	Roman Glass St. George (XX)	HEL - P	0-1	Hamworthy Recreation	WSX - P
61	Amesbury Town	WSX - 1	1-0	Ilminster Town	SWP - E
62	Andover New Street (XX)	WSX - P	0-0	Hallen [1-4 on pens]	HEL - P
63	Kidlington	CC - PN	3-4	AFC Stoneham (XX)	WSX - P
64	Portland United	WSX - P	0-0	Sturminster Newton Utd [1-3 on pens]	WST - 1



CODE	LEAGUE	HOME	AWAY	TOTAL
CC - 1	Combined Counties Division 1	2	0	2
CC - PN	Combined Counties Premier North	3	1	4
CC - PS	Combined Counties Premier South	1	4	5
EC - 1N	Eastern Counties Division 1 North	2	0	2
EC - 1S	Eastern Counties Division 1 South	0	1	1
ECO - P	Eastern Counties Premier Division	3	2	5
ESS -	Essex Senior	3	2	5
HEL - 1	Hellenic Division 1	0	1	1
HEL - P	Hellenic Premier	2	4	6
MID - 1	Midland Division 1	3	1	4
MID - P	Midland Premier	2	4	6
NCE - 1	Northern Counties East Division 1	1	0	1
NCE - P	Northern Counties East Premier	2	2	4
NL - 1	Northern League Division 1	2	1	3
NL - 2	Northern League Division 2	2	0	2
NWC - 1N	North West Counties Division 1 North	1	3	4
NWC - P	North West Counties Premier	6	6	12
SC - 1	Southern Combination Division 1	1	0	1
SC - P	Southern Combination Premier	2	2	4
SCE - 1	Southern Counties East Division 1	0	1	1
SCE - P	Southern Counties East Premier	6	6	12
SSM - 1	Spartan South Midland Division 1	1	1	2
SSM - P	Spartan South Midland Premier	3	2	5
SWP - E	South West Peninsula East Division	1	1	2
UC - 1	United Counties Division 1	1	2	3
UC - PN	United Counties Premier North	2	5	7
UC - PS	United Counties Premier South	4	6	10
WST - 1	Western Division 1	0	1	1
WST - P	Western Premier	3	1	4
WSX - 1	Wessex Division 1	1	0	1
WSX - P	Wessex Premier	4	4	8
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>64</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>128</b>
<b>STEP 5 clubs competing</b>		<b>96</b>		
<b>STEP 6 clubs competing</b>		<b>32</b>		

**NOTE-** 23 exempted clubs to the Second Round denoted (XX) joined, with the remaining clubs that were exempted to the First Round are denoted (x)  
Ties 1 to 14 are in Zone 1, 15 to 28 are in Zone 2, 29 to 38 are in Zone 3, 39 to 52 are in Zone 4 and 53 to 64 are in Zone 5.

With thanks to *John Treleven* for the background in preparing this data.

## LEAGUE TABLES

*In the League Tables section, an asterisk in any table means point adjustments have been made.*

POS	PREMIER DIVISION	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS	PPG
1	Petersfield Town	15	12	1	2	27	10	17	37	2.467
2	AFC Stoneham	14	11	1	2	37	12	25	34	2.429
3	Hamworthy Recreation	13	8	2	3	24	11	13	26	2.000
4	Sherborne Town	14	8	2	4	32	20	12	26	1.857
5	Andover New Street	15	8	2	5	26	17	9	26	1.733
6	Brockenhurst	17	7	5	5	32	27	5	26	1.529
7	Hamble Club	13	7	4	2	30	11	19	25	1.923
8	Baffins Milton Rovers	14	7	4	3	32	19	13	25	1.786
9	Portland United	13	8	0	5	30	18	12	24	1.846
10	Christchurch	15	6	3	6	28	31	-3	21	1.400
11	Bournemouth	16	5	3	8	22	27	-5	18	1.125
12	Laverstock & Ford	12	4	5	3	25	18	7	17	1.417
13	East Cowes Victoria	13	5	2	6	13	26	-13	17	1.308
14	Downton	13	4	2	7	20	26	-6	14	1.077
15	Cowes Sports	12	4	1	7	16	31	-15	13	1.083
16	Millbrook	13	4	0	9	18	30	-12	12	0.923
17	Hythe & Dibden	11	2	4	5	19	23	-4	10	0.909
18	Bemerton Heath Harlequins	15	2	3	10	11	36	-25	9	0.600
19	Wincanton Town	16	1	4	11	16	40	-24	7	0.438
20	New Milton Town [*]	14	1	2	11	12	37	-25	2	0.143

POS	DIVISION ONE	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS	PPG
1	Whitchurch United	15	11	2	2	42	19	23	35	2.333
2	Colden Common	16	11	2	3	54	33	21	35	2.188
3	Fleetlands	16	9	3	4	33	22	11	30	1.875
4	Frimley Green	14	8	4	2	38	22	16	28	2.000
5	Romsey Town	17	8	4	5	29	20	9	28	1.647
6	Newport (IoW)	15	9	1	5	27	22	5	28	1.867
7	Yateley United	17	8	2	7	43	27	16	26	1.529
8	Folland Sports	14	8	1	5	31	20	11	25	1.786
9	Ringwood Town	17	8	1	8	34	40	-6	25	1.471
10	Cove	13	6	5	2	21	13	8	23	1.769
11	Ash United	15	6	5	4	19	21	-2	23	1.533
12	Hamworthy United	15	6	2	7	37	29	8	20	1.333
13	Alresford Town	14	5	5	4	29	29	0	20	1.429
14	Kintbury Rangers	16	5	3	8	28	38	-10	18	1.125
15	Amesbury Town	14	5	2	7	23	22	1	17	1.214
16	Clanfield	16	5	2	9	23	29	-6	17	1.063
17	United Services Portsmouth	17	5	2	10	24	45	-21	17	1.000
18	Fawley AFC	15	3	5	7	15	27	-12	14	0.933
19	Blackfield & Langley	14	4	2	8	18	40	-22	14	1.000
20	AFC Aldermaston	14	2	4	8	21	27	-6	10	0.714
21	Lymington Town	14	2	2	10	18	40	-22	8	0.571
22	Totton & Eling	14	2	1	11	11	33	-22	7	0.500

## PHOTO FINISH



*Roger Allen was at Fawcetts Field where Baffins Milton Rovers (blue) found the net early on to bag the points against New Milton Town*



*Honours even at one apiece at Hurn Bridge between Christchurch (blue) and Brockenhurst- goalmouth action here caught by Sara Taylor*

## THE LAST WORD

The best attendance in the First Round of the Isuzu FA Vase was 844 for the derby between Rusthall and Tunbridge Wells, in ties involving our sides 258 was the best; =in the Dorset “derby” between Portland United and Sturminster Newton United. 222 were at Barnstaple Town and 218 at Andover New Street. Sadly, we have not seen or heard the figure. We have five teams in the Third Round draw this coming week- congratulations to AFC Stoneham, Amesbury Town, Downton, Hamworthy Recreation and Hythe & Dibden and of course commiserations to the four who fell by the wayside, Sherborne Town and three on a penalty shootout Andover New Street, Millbrook and Portland United.