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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



On a wet and wild Tuesday night unsuitable for photography, Robin Caddy managed to catch this action from the Blackfield & Langley game against the Royal Navy in the Hampshire Servio Senior Cup that the Navy (blue) won 4-1.



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STAT ATTACK

TOP SIX LEADING GOALSCORERS - LEAGUE GAMES ONLY

PREMIER DIVISION

Duarte Martins	AFC Stoneham	13
Remus Nixon	Portland United	9
Greg Borthwick	Portland United	9
[seven on]		8

DIVISION ONE

Bailey Rowe	Hamworthy United	19
Charlie Glasspool	Folland Sports	15
Lee Vint	Ringwood Town	14
Ben Sunley	Colden Common	12
Brad Lethbridge	Colden Common	12
[two on]		11

*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

Top five league attendances

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

Top five league attendances

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	43
Hamble Club	41
Portland United	36

Meanest Defence

Petersfield Town	11
Hamble Club	14
AFC Stoneham	15

Goals scored per Game

AFC Stoneham	2.688
Hamble Club	2.412
Portland United	2.400

DIVISION ONE- TOP THREE

Sharpest Attack

Colden Common	61
Hamworthy United	49
Yateley United	47

Meanest Defence

Cove	16
Romsey Town	20
[two on]	22

Goals scored per Game

Colden Common	3.050
Hamworthy United	2.722
Frimley Green	2.647

PREMIER DIVISION- HIGH SCORES

Home win	Baffins Milton Rovers	vs	Bemerton Heath Harlequins	7-1	1 November
	Baffins Milton Rovers	vs	New Milton Town	7-1	4 October
	Downton	vs	Wincanton Town	5-0	22 November
	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
Away win	Cowes Sports	vs	AFC Stoneham	0-5	30 September

DIVISION ONE- HIGH SCORES

Home win	Whitchurch United	vs	United Services Portsmouth	9-0	9 August
	Folland Sports	vs	Blackfield & Langley	7-0	6 September
	Hamworthy United	vs	Kintbury Rangers	7-1	11 October
Away win	Alresford Town	vs	Yateley United	2-9	20 September
	Lymington Town	vs	Fleetlands	1-8	18 October
	Fawley AFC	vs	Hamworthy United	1-7	18 November

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	17	17	0	0	59	7	52	51	3.000
5. MLP	1	Northwich Victoria	14	12	1	1	43	9	34	37	2.643
5. CCS	1	Cobham	18	15	2	1	66	9	57	47	2.611
5. ECP	1	Mulbarton Wanderers	14	12	0	2	40	7	33	36	2.571
5. SCP	2	Steyning Town	18	14	3	1	52	20	32	45	2.500
5. WXP	1	AFC Stoneham	16	13	1	2	43	15	28	40	2.500
5. WLP	3	Torpoint Athletic	16	12	3	1	33	12	21	39	2.438
5. NWP	2	Ramsbottom United	21	16	3	2	61	21	40	51	2.429
5. NL1	1	Guisborough Town	21	16	3	2	47	18	29	51	2.429
5. NCP	1	Liversedge	19	14	4	1	44	12	32	46	2.421
5. WLP	1	Clevedon Town	19	15	1	3	44	18	26	46	2.421
5. NWP	1	Padiham	22	17	2	3	60	22	38	53	2.409
5. SEP	2	Whitstable Town	16	12	2	2	36	20	16	38	2.375
5. WXP	2	Petersfield Town	17	13	1	3	32	11	21	40	2.353
5. UCS	1	Nuneaton Town	18	13	3	2	46	20	26	42	2.333
5. HLP	1	Slimbridge	19	14	2	3	47	19	28	44	2.316
5. SMP	2	Winslow United	16	12	1	3	39	18	21	37	2.313
5. ESL	1	Little Oakley	16	11	4	1	32	14	18	37	2.313
5. NWP	4	Wythenshawe FC	20	15	1	4	47	23	24	46	2.300
5. CCN	1	Ardley United	18	13	2	3	40	14	26	41	2.278
5. UCS	2	March Town United	18	13	2	3	41	15	26	41	2.278
League	Pos	STEP 6	Pl	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	Pts	PPG
6. SS1	1	Everett Rovers	17	16	1	0	61	13	48	49	2.882
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	1	Rochester United	13	12	1	0	37	5	32	37	2.846
6. ML1	3	Knowle	18	16	1	1	57	12	45	49	2.722
6. SWW	2	Elburton Villa	15	13	1	1	67	17	50	40	2.667
6. E1N	1	Holland	20	17	2	1	65	21	44	53	2.650
6. ML1	2	Gornal Athletic	19	16	2	1	52	16	36	50	2.632
6. SE1	2	AFC Greenwich Borough	13	11	1	1	33	8	25	34	2.615
6. E1N	2	Kings Park Rangers	18	15	2	1	39	12	27	47	2.611
6. SS1	3	Eaton Socon	15	13	0	2	35	12	23	39	2.600
6. UC1	1	Retford FC	22	18	3	1	62	17	45	57	2.591
6. SWE	2	Bridport	14	11	2	1	54	12	42	35	2.500
6. NCE1	2	Harrogate Railway Athletic	21	16	4	1	55	20	35	52	2.476
6. ML1	1	Sutton United (Birmingham)	21	17	1	3	47	15	32	52	2.476
6. NW1S	1	Runcorn Town	17	13	3	1	47	13	34	42	2.471
6. NL2	1	Redcar Town	21	16	3	2	47	20	27	51	2.429
6. NCE1	1	Dearne & District	24	19	1	4	65	21	44	58	2.417
6. WL1	1	Devizes Town	20	14	6	0	49	11	38	48	2.400
6. CC1	3	Brook House	20	15	3	2	53	25	28	48	2.400

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

STEP 5 PPG RANKING

AFC Stoneham	5
Andover New Street	90
Baffins Milton Rovers	103
Bemerton Heath Harlequins	288
Bournemouth	235
Brookhurst	114
Christchurch	186
Cowes Sports	223
Downton	152
East Cowes Victoria Athletic	154
Hamble Club	34
Hamworthy Recreation	95
Hythe & Dibden	260
Laverstock & Ford	136
Millbrook	275
New Milton Town	316
Petersfield Town	14
Portland United	63
Sherborne Town	64
Wincanton Town	312

STEP 6 PPG RANKING

AFC Aldermaston	268
Alresford Town	216
Amesbury Town	218
Ash United	130
Blackfield & Langley	288
Clanfield	231
Colden Common	63
Cove	75
Fawley	292
Fleetlands	41
Folland Sports	66
Frimley Green	82
Hamworthy United	149
Kintbury Rangers	230
Lymington Town	292
Newport (Isle of Wight)	78
Ringwood Town	167
Romsey Town	123
Totton & Eling	316
United Services Portsmouth	233
Whitchurch United	38
Yateley United	133

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	AVGE	+/- 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	2,760	28	98.57	-613	-1,848	56,709
22-Nov-25	1,931	23	83.96	-829	739	58,640
29-Nov-25	2,137	21	101.76	206	-685	60,777
06-Dec-25						
13-Dec-25						
20-Dec-25						

ATTENDANCE STATISTICS 2025/26

TEAM	24/25 AVGE	25/26 AVGE	+/-	+/- AS A %	25/26 BEST
AFC Aldermaston	53.05	46.11	-6.94	-13.08%	80
AFC Stoneham	113.63	108.38	-5.26	-4.63%	153
Alresford Town	113.84	99.75	-14.09	-12.38%	135
Amesbury Town	82.53	66.75	-15.78	-19.12%	77
Andover New Street	166.05	165.13	-0.93	-0.56%	187
Ash United	86.58	76.73	-9.85	-11.38%	145
Baffins Milton Rovers	132.42	90.33	-42.09	-31.78%	123
Bemerton Heath Harlequins	0.00	124.88	124.88	0.00%	185
Blackfield & Langley	88.84	70.00	-18.84	-21.21%	107
Bournemouth	72.11	72.00	-0.11	-0.15%	124
Brockenhurst	161.47	162.40	0.93	0.57%	234
Christchurch	75.95	104.17	28.22	37.16%	151
Clanfield	60.47	55.14	-5.33	-8.82%	78
Colden Common	0.00	76.71	76.71	0.00%	120
Cove	69.53	79.56	10.03	14.43%	188
Cowes Sports	178.21	164.89	-13.32	-7.48%	236
Downton	135.84	127.89	-7.95	-5.85%	185
East Cowes Victoria	187.32	152.50	-34.82	-18.59%	189
Fawley	80.74	76.38	-4.36	-5.40%	171
Fleetlands	74.05	86.30	12.25	16.54%	135
Folland Sports	64.37	68.63	4.26	6.61%	89
Frimley Green	154.89	107.11	-47.78	-30.85%	155
Hamble Club	113.05	106.50	-6.55	-5.80%	162
Hamworthy Recreation	58.05	55.67	-2.39	-4.11%	76
Hamworthy United	128.16	97.83	-30.32	-23.66%	128
Hythe & Dibden	117.53	98.14	-19.38	-16.49%	130
Kintbury Rangers	0.00	81.25	81.25	0.00%	142
Laverstock & Ford	122.42	114.57	-7.85	-6.41%	155
Lymington Town	121.26	83.00	-38.26	-31.55%	109
Millbrook	86.42	82.75	-3.67	-4.25%	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	142.29	-40.61	-22.20%	181
Ringwood Town	66.95	57.90	-9.05	-13.51%	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	98.50	5.55	5.97%	145
United Services Portsmouth	72.84	54.56	-18.29	-25.10%	73
Whitchurch United	72.32	134.17	61.85	85.53%	204
Wincanton Town	97.47	79.91	-17.56	-18.02%	133
Yateley United	0.00	127.56	127.56	0.00%	226
Premier Division running total	19,110	Average	120.19		
Division One running total	16,839	Average	87.70		



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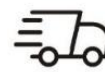
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FIXTURES – 2025/26

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

Tuesday 2 December

Velocity Wessex League Cup Third Round

Baffins Milton Rovers v Hamble Club

Premier Division

Christchurch v Millbrook

Division One

Clanfield v Whitchurch United

IOW Gold Cup Quarter Final

Newport (IoW) v Bembridge & Vectis

Southampton Senior Cup Third Round

Romsey Town v Downton

Wednesday 3 December

Velocity Wessex League Cup Third Round

AFC Aldermaston v Cove

Premier Division

New Milton Town v Hythe & Dibden

Sherborne Town v Bournemouth

Saturday 6 December

Isuzu FA Vase Third Round

AFC Stoneham v Cinderford Town

Bovey Tracey v Downton

Hallen v Hamworthy Recreation

Hythe & Dibden v Sturminster Newton United

Slimbridge v Amesbury Town

Premier Division

Baffins Milton Rovers v Andover New Street

Bemerton Heath H'quins v Christchurch

Bournemouth v New Milton Town

Cowes Sports v Wincanton Town

Hamble Club v Portland United

Laverstock & Ford v East Cowes Victoria

Petersfield Town v Brockenhurst

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

Dorset Senior Cup Quarter Final

Stur. Newton Utd v Sherborne Town [19:30]

Shaftesbury v Portland United

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

Wednesday 10 December

Division One

AFC Aldermaston v Amesbury Town

IOW Gold Cup Quarter Final

Cowes Sports v Ventnor

Saturday 13 December

Velocity Wessex League Cup Third Round

Christchurch v Brockenhurst

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

Russell-Cotes Benevolent Cup Second Round

Hamble Club v Christchurch

Velocity Wessex League Cup Third Round

Laverstock & Ford v Cowes Sports

Millbrook v AFC Stoneham

Premier Division

Portland United v Hamworthy Recreation

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 [14:00]

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

Saturday 3 January

Premier Division

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

Division One

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

CLUB NEWS

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



Members of the Aldershot District FA presented the **Cove** Secretary Mark Endacott with a Long Service award at their home game against Frimley Green in the week "A superb ambassador for the club and fully deserving award". Mark has been involved with the Oak Farm outfit for some 20 years. Congratulations Mark.

RESULTS

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



Tuesday 25 November

Somerset Premier Cup Second Round

Wincanton Town	3-2	Shepton Mallet AFC	70
<i>James Culshaw 25</i>			
<i>Sean Markey 80, 90</i>			
<i>Fin Koppa 56, 65</i>			

Wiltshire Premier Shield Quarter Final

Downton	1-3	Laverstock & Ford	111
<i>Brett Pitman 84 pen</i>			
<i>Adam Bournier 75, 78</i>			
<i>Hubert Cegiela 60</i>			

Isle of Wight Gold Cup Quarter Final

East Cowes Victoria	13-0	Osborne Coburg	133
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Scott Jones [3]

Jordan Chapman

Jake Wright [3]

Jacob Reynolds

Caleb Neale [3]

Travis Pitman

Josh Neale

Premier Division

Cowes Sports	0-5	Petersfield Town	107
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Asad Semi 14, 37, 75

Dan Wood 20

Rocco Gamblin 36

Hythe & Dibden	0-5	Hamble Club	78
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Jordan Cunningham 37

Matt Casey 40

Sol Mazi 55

Nick Yeomans 63, 70

Division One

Amesbury Town	4-0	Totton & Eling	65
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Tyler Brockway 38

Jack Vallis 49

Harry Yeadon 58

Arran Moore 89

Cove

	2-2	Frimley Green	188
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George Keenan 60 pen

Cav Atkinson 70

Brad Pegg 24

Harvey Everard 84

Southampton Senior Cup Third Round

Bemerton Heath Harlequins	A-W	AFC Stoneham	-
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[Bemerton withdrew from competition]

Brockenhurst <i>Barry Mason 6, 45+1</i> <i>Dylan Walker 19, 32, 49</i> <i>Toby Colmer 43</i>	6-1	New Milton Town <i>James Coat 66</i>	139
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Aldershot Senior Cup First Round

Ash United	0-6	Knaphill <i>OG 4</i> <i>Ross Cheek 49</i> <i>Brad Sweeney 69</i> <i>Jack Phillips 85</i> <i>Tom Harland-Goddard 73 pen, 76</i>	53
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Wednesday 26 November

Hampshire Servio Senior Cup First Round

Blackfield & Langley <i>Ewang Derick 45+1</i>	1-4	Royal Navy F.A. <i>Ollie Ward 20, 24, 52</i> <i>Ben Aldous 60</i>	79
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Hampshire Servio Senior Cup Third Round

Baffins Milton Rovers <i>Lewis Beale 40 pen, 52, 84</i> <i>Harrison Brook 71</i> <i>Ed Sanders 90+2</i>	5-0	Southampton	252
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Aldershot Senior Cup First Round

Yateley United <i>Lynford Sackey 9, 67, 79</i> <i>Luke Cairns 15</i>	4-1	Guildford City <i>Kai Zini 42</i>	80
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Saturday 29 November

Premier Division

Bournemouth	0-3	Portland United <i>Greg Borthwick 4, 56</i> <i>Jacob Coombs 47</i>	69
Downton <i>Brett Pitman 21, 80, 90+1</i> <i>Ilya Ihnatenko 88</i>	4-0	New Milton Town	172
Hamble Club <i>Jack Francis 6</i> <i>Will Gange 9</i> <i>James Johnson 82</i>	3-1	Laverstock & Ford <i>Hubert Cegiela 73</i>	79

Division One

Ash United <i>Tom White 87</i>	1-3	Cove <i>Charlie Oakley 6, 16</i> <i>Will Peters 49</i>	94
Clanfield <i>Leyton Farminer 1</i> <i>Elliot Cannon 27</i> <i>Joe Briggs 87</i>	3-1	Alresford Town <i>Jack Welch 77</i>	72
Colden Common <i>Ben Sunley</i>	1-1	Totton & Eling <i>Gideon Nebechukwu</i>	71
Fawley AFC <i>Jacob Lynch 8</i> <i>Will Berry 30</i>	2-3	Yateley United <i>Nathan Connolly 40</i> <i>Lynford Sackey 48</i> <i>Callum Wright 90</i>	57

Lymington Town

Charlie Cox 5

Joe Petty 16

Ringwood Town

Lee Vint 34

2-0

Blackfield & Langley

109

1-2

Fleetlands

59

Curt Robbins 89, 90+2

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.



SATURDAY 22 NOVEMBER-

DIVISION ONE- Hamworthy United 4-0 Yateley United

Tony Beck was pitchside

AFTER Hamworthy United's much needed good result in midweek, they were now up against a side who had won all their last eight league games. 16 year old defender Isaac Stanley was handed his first start in place of Jack Delves who has returned to Portland United. The home team also welcomed to the bench 21 year old midfielder Owen Miller who has worn the shirts of Christchurch, Poppies and Verwood, with Toby Diaz now having joined Dorchester Sports. Events commenced with a minute's silence for the passing of Joe Bartlett, who, with his sons, had had a long and fruitful association with club.

The lights were on from the word go in the murky and almost monsoon weather, but the game soon warmed up with early chances for both teams. Yateley's Alex Bourne was already proving a handful for the hosts, darting from one side of the pitch to the other, and from the right side, from the most improbable of angles, his solid effort crashed into touch off the near post. At the other end, Josh Malpas, after carrying the ball forward on the right, teed up a perfect low cross into the path of Bailey Rowe who uncharacteristically fired just wide of the far post.

The Hammers were creating the better of the few chances that went begging and opened the scoring on 17 minutes. The ball conveniently fell to Josh Malpas on the right. He in turn found Olli WOOLLEY overlapping on the outside whose final cross-come-shot somehow looped into the back of net via the underside of the bar.

The visitors did come more into the game midway through the half, with Noah Crisp holding onto one deflected shot by Bourne and then parrying another by the same player which was then cleared by the defence. Play again shifted, Jack Hughes seeing his flicked near post header from Olli Woolley's cross well blocked.

Hamworthy however did find their way past the Yateley stopper Henry Pidgeon again on 32 minutes, when a low cross from the left by Jack Hughes led to a bit of a scramble close to the goal line, the ball eventually being slid over the line by Bailey ROWE.

HT 2-0

In the worsening weather, the game was now becoming a bit of a lottery, but it was Yateley setting the early tone with two strikes, albeit both off-target. At the other end, substitute Lap-Tin Leung saw his long diagonal cross find the top-netting. The visitors remained mostly on top as the half progressed, Crisp being forced

into a good save on 62 minutes from Harvey Seeman at his near post. A couple of times the home defence did give the ball away rather cheaply, with Yateley unable to capitalize.

The Hammers' recent record in holding onto two goal margins is nothing to write home about. It was quite a relief therefore when on 72 minutes, against the run of play, a put through Bailey ROWE drilled home a fine shot from outside the area, the build-up including a good header from Lap-Tin Leung. Five minutes later Yateley almost did pull one back, Stanley deflecting a header onto the post before being dealt with by Crisp.

This time Hamworthy were able to cement the win on 88 minutes. In a nice passage of play on the left, Olli Woolley played a good ball out of defence to Jack Hughes. The Hammers' midfielder in turn slipped it forward to meet the run of Bailey ROWE who calmly dispatched the ball home past the exposed keeper for his second hat-trick in five days.

This had been a very solid and clinical performance by Hamworthy in very difficult conditions. The clean sheet was also a pleasant bonus given the number of goals, especially late goals, recently conceded. Isaac Stanley deserves special recognition for his contribution to that cause, deservedly the Hammers' man of the match.

FT 4-0

SATURDAY 22 NOVEMBER-

PREMIER DIVISION- Bemerton Heath Harlequins 2-1 Hamworthy Recreation

John Hutchings was pitchside

A second successive league defeat for Rec sees them slipping down the table. They lacked spark and creativity all game and struggled against a team with only three wins all season - two of them against Rec! No wonder, at the end, the players trooped off to chants of "Can we play you every week" from the home fans.

Manager, Wayne Smith, was down to the bare bones with team selection, owing to injuries and unavailability and his cause was not helped by losing key defender, Harvey Doe, to a foot injury, in the first half. Even then, they could have salvaged a point but paid the price for some costly misses in front of goal. It was a bad start for Rec, conceding a goal after just two minutes. A free-kick into the box was headed in by Harry ROGERS, the ball nestling just inside the post, to give Bemerton an early lift.

Rec responded and Chris Long's shot was saved by home keeper, Harry Dillon. From the resulting corner the ball fell for Elliot Pearce-Eavis, but he screwed his shot wide, from close-range.

Tom Blair was influential for Rec, with a dangerous free-kick, which saw Max Wilcock's header hit the post and then an in swinging corner, punched away by Dillon.

After Doe had limped off, for Rec, Bemerton doubled their lead, on 29 minutes. Chris KAPEND broke on the right, in space and his deflected shot sailed over Rec keeper, Shane Murphy and into the net, for 2-0. As the rain poured down Rec needed a goal to get back into it and it came on 38 minutes, when Long's low cross, from the left, found BLAIR at the far post, for a tap in.

HT 2-1

Blair had an early second half chance blocked and for the hosts, Guy and Griffiths went close. Blair was the main threat for Rec, with another free-kick causing problems in the home defence and then a low shot across the face of goal. It was the hosts who nearly added another, but Murphy made a great save, with his feet, from Trigwell.

You got the feeling that it was not going to be Rec's day when, late on, Blair weaved his way into the area but blazed his shot over the bar and it was Bemerton who could have scored again, but Murphy made another great save to keep out Ingram's penalty, diving low to his right.

FT 2-1

TUESDAY 25 NOVEMBER-

ISLE OF WIGHT GOLD CUP QUARTER FINAL- East Cowes Victoria 13-0 Osborne Coburg

Russ Chapman was pitchside

VICS welcomed Island league Osborne Coburg to Beatrice Avenue for this Gold Cup Quarter Final fixture on the back of some very good form. Vics quickly raced into a two goal lead, Scott JONES and Jordan CHAPMAN in the 3rd and 4th minutes. Jake Wright got a third in the 23rd minute and Josh NEALE made it 4-0 a minute later.

Coburg battled hard and chased everything but weren't able to prevent a fifth, Jake WRIGHT getting his second. Scott JONES made it six on 40 minutes. Elliott Apter's attempted lob on 43 minutes was extremely unlucky, but right on half time Jacob REYNOLDS made it seven for Vics.

HT 7-0

It didn't take long for Vics to get back into scoring ways, 47 minutes and Scott JONES slots home for his hat trick 8-0

A minute later and Jake WRIGHT makes it nine with his hat trick. A minute later and Scott Jones was pulled down in the area, Josh Neale stepped up but Malcolm Arnold pulled off a fine save. Caleb NEALE increased Vics lead with a fine curling effort from the edge of the box 10-0

16 year old Travis PITMAN scored with a fine effort to make it 11 and Caleb NEALE made it 12 with another fine effort into the top corner giving Arnold no chance.

Coburg kept battling despite the scoreline but there was nothing they could do to prevent Caleb NEALE getting his hat trick with a powerful 20 yard scorcher in the 90th minute.

FT 13-0

TUESDAY 25 NOVEMBER-

SOUTHAMPTON SENIOR CUP THIRD ROUND- Brockenhurst 6-1 New Milton Town

Jon Renyard was pitchside

A cup tie between Brock and near neighbours New Milton Town – derby day, “form goes out of the window” and other cliches... But not tonight – this went very much to form. Brock ran out very comfortable winners, an upset never on the cards. In the first half, in particular, they were a class above the visitors, who afforded them far too much space and watched as the Badgers quickly moved out of sight.

Freddie Beale, a livewire as ever, created the first on six minutes with a trademark twinkletoes run and low cross, turned home from close range by Barry MASON. The Brickies had an unexpected chance to level shortly afterwards when Valero played sweeper keeper but only cleared to Jack Broad, thirty yards out but with an open route to goal, but he shot well wide. Brock pressed on – a defence-splitting pass from Beale, almost perfect but keeper Dixon came out bravely to gather at the feet of Luke Holmes. A minute later, Holmes with a superb drive from 25 yards which crashed back off the inside of the post and away... Occasionally the Badgers defence seemed to fall asleep – it happened again on 18 minutes, a brilliant cross from the right but Harry Smith contrived to clear the bar from about five yards when it must have been easier to score, although credit to Valero for closing him down. Within a minute, the visitors found themselves two down: excellent work from Colmer to win the ball, finding Dylan WALKER who cut inside to the edge of the box and unleashed a searing, swerving shot into the top corner.

Brock were now in control and might have extended the lead on the half hour but Mason's header was straight at Dixon; a minute later, the excellent Colmer again, winning the ball in midfield and carrying it forward, the cross missed by Mason but controlled by WALKER who found the far corner from a tight angle. Fans were in danger of cricked necks at this point, such was the balance of play – briefly interrupted when Holmes crashed a cross-field pass, referee Sam Downer ducked but not quickly enough and was felled, to the obvious delight of everyone.

43 minutes, a deep cross from Walker on the left, headed back across goal and in by Toby COLMER for a goal his overall performance deserved. Worse was to come for the Brickies – one second into overtime, another twisting Beale run and cross, turned home by MASON for 5-0, and there was still time for a clever Brock move, Mason unselfishly heading the ball over to Holmes inside the box but his shot flashed just wide.

HT 5-0

Fair play to New Milton: the game was obviously gone, and heads could readily have dropped, but they came out for the second half with renewed determination. They certainly got closer to their opponents, and they defended with greater resolution.

And all this despite conceding again on 49 minutes – Brooks reaching the byline and putting in a deep cross, brilliantly headed in at the back post by WALKER to complete a blinding hatrick. He came off at that point but had already done enough to be man of the match (both for me and for the sponsors). It seemed likely that the Badgers would go on and run up a cricket score, but for whatever reason the next goal simply refused to come.

And fair play to the Brickies, they also got one back on 66 (hardly a consolation in the circumstances) – a long ball out to James COATS on the left in far too much space but with a lot to do from near the halfway

line, but he made his way to the edge of the box and it was a decent enough finish, too. Torniainen with a great run down the left but his cross-shot just missing the far post; Snelling for the visitors with a shot deflected at source which spun just wide... the ref had the good sense to call it a day when the 90 were up, with barely a second of injury time.

FT 6-1

WEDNESDAY 26 NOVEMBER

HAMPSHIRE SERVIO SENIOR CUP FIRST ROUND- Blackfield & Langley 1-4 Royal Navy FA

Robin Caddy was pitchside

IT was a dark wet night at Gang Warily on Wednesday when Blackfield & Langley welcomed The Royal Navy in Hampshire Senior Cup action. The hosts had been beaten in an earlier round by a Fleet Town side including an ineligible player, hence they were put through to this round instead of Fleet Town. By the end of the 90 minutes they may have wished it hadn't happened. 79 brave souls watched on in the persistent drizzle, the hosts in their dark green and the Royal Navy playing Navy blue. I suppose I should have expected that colour really.

New B & L manager Matt Maybury (formerly of New Milton Town) watched on for this game before taking the reins going forward. His assessment must have been similar to those of us watching in the stands - the Royal Navy team looked bigger, stronger and more alert from the off. It is hard to say where the Navy team would slot in in the pyramid, but even early on you got the feeling it would be at least a division or more higher up than B & L currently find themselves. As early as the 9th minute home keeper Jack James was called on to deal with an attack. Just three minutes later the Navy boys were enjoying a period of sustained pressure with consecutive set-pieces causing problems. Big centre half Jack McKormack was on the end of a lot of these, and had an effort cleared off the line.

It was James to the rescue for the hosts once again on 20 minutes when he did well to block Sol Roche's effort when it seemed considerably more likely that he was going to open the scoring. From this the greens mounted an attack of their own, only to lose the ball just inside the opposition half. Five seconds after losing the ball, Oliver WARD is bursting into the box and finishes really well - a classic counter attack executed to perfection. 21 minutes played B & L 0-1 Royal Navy.

Just three minutes later, and the Royal Navy overload play down their left once more, Joe Aldous to Emmanuelle Roche, to Phillips who plays in Sol Roche. The shot is partially blocked but makes its way to WARD and there is an air of inevitability as it does so - 0-2, 24 minutes played.

The Royal Navy number 3, Henry Phillips, is having a good game, looks quick and direct, attacking well, but on 31 minutes his evening comes to an end. An aerial challenge with a defender sees both players fall to the ground, and the referee Brian Channing sees something untoward, the view in the stand is that a punch has been thrown, whatever the ref saw he did not like it one bit and Phillips is immediately shown a straight red.

Just before half time the Royal Navy should make it three and a hatrick for Ward, but he puts it wide when a goal seems certain. Then, in stoppage time, Ewang DERICK goes on a run with the ball, and eventually scores what is more or less a tap in in the six yard box after a previous attempt is saved but not cleared.

HT 1-2

The weather takes a turn for the worse in the second half, with the drizzle turning to rain, and it is getting darker all the time. The mood is getting darker for the hosts too, when on 52 minutes a defender misses the ball, and would you believe it that man WARD pounces on it, runs 20 yards with it, then calmly slots it home for his hatrick B & L 1-3 Royal Navy

On the hour mark Ward has another chance, which to his credit Jack James saves well, but he cannot react in time to a second chance and substitute Ben ALDOUS makes it 1-4.

Due to deployments several of the Royal Navy's more regular players were missing tonight, B & L must be grateful for small mercies I suppose saying that - to their credit they never gave up.

As the evening progressed it became harder for your reporter to see any action that was furthest away, and at one point players on opposite teams were saying to each other they were finding it hard to pick out which team was which in the murk.

Before the end Max Croucher picked up a second yellow for the hosts, so the game ended 10v10.

FT 1-4

NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH

Fixtures listed are published in good faith and are subject to alteration or cancellation at short notice.

Kick off times will also vary- please check if planning to visit..

In this section, an [] in any league table means point adjustments have been made.*

NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH- DORSET PREMIER LEAGUE

RESULTS

Tuesday 25 November

Hamworthy United Reserves 3-1 Poole Borough

Wednesday 26 November

Dorset Premier League Cup Quarter Final

Wimborne Town Reserves 4-0 Hamworthy Recreation Reserves

Saturday 29 November

Bournemouth Sports 1-4 Swanage Town & Herston

Poole Borough 0-2 Hamworthy Recreation Reserves

Portland United Reserves 2-2 Wimborne Town Reserves

Sherborne Town Reserves 0-4 Balti Sports

Hamworthy United Reserves 1-1 Gillingham Town

Dorset Premier League Cup Quarter Final [KO 13:45]

Cobham Sports 1-1 Bournemouth Electric [7-8 on penalties]

Westland Sports 1-1 Holt United [3-1 on penalties]

The League Cup Semi Final draw was made in the week-

Bournemouth Electric v Blandford United or Dorchester Sports

Westland Sports v Wimborne Town Reserves

TABLE

POS	DORSET PREMIER	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Cobham Sports	16	14	2	0	65	16	49	44
2	Dorchester Sports	16	13	2	1	38	12	26	41
3	Blandford United	15	13	0	2	40	16	24	39
4	Bournemouth Sports	17	10	3	4	56	33	23	33
5	Swanage Town & Herston	18	10	3	5	51	30	21	33
6	Sherborne Town Reserves	18	10	0	8	32	37	-5	30
7	Balti Sports	18	9	2	7	54	33	21	29
8	Bournemouth Electric	14	9	2	3	40	22	18	29
9	Holt United	16	9	2	5	30	20	10	29
10	Hamworthy Recreation Reserves	17	7	3	7	23	30	-7	24
11	Wimborne Town Reserves	20	7	2	11	38	49	-11	23
12	Hamworthy United Reserves	19	6	2	11	29	58	-29	20
13	Westland Sports	14	6	1	7	33	24	9	19
14	Verwood Town	19	4	2	13	17	48	-31	14
15	Portland United Reserves	16	3	3	10	17	43	-26	12
16	Gillingham Town	17	2	3	12	22	38	-16	9
17	Bridport Reserves	15	1	3	11	17	50	-33	6
18	Poole Borough	19	0	3	16	11	54	-43	3

FIXTURES

Saturday 6 December

Balti Sports v Poole Borough

Bournemouth Electric v Wimborne Town Reserves

Cobham Sports v Hamworthy United Reserves
 Gillingham Town v Hamworthy Recreation Reserves
 Holt United v Verwood Town
 Swanage Town & Herston v Sherborne Town Reserves
 Westland Sports v Dorchester Sports

Dorset and Somerset Air Ambulance Senior Trophy Quarter Final

Blandford United v Portland United Reserves

Bridport Reserves v Puddletown

Hampshire Senior Trophy Third Round

Andover Town v Bournemouth Sports

NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH- UHLSPORT HAMPSHIRE PREMIER LEAGUE

RESULTS

Saturday 29 November

Bishops Waltham Dynamos 4-2 Liss Athletic

Broughton 0-0 Hedge End Rangers

Meon Milton 0-3 Denmead

Whitehill & Bordon 0-0 Liphook United

Hampshire Saturday Trophy Third Round

Crofton Saints 2-0 Locks Heath

TABLE

POS	HAMPSHIRE PREMIER	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Crofton Saints	15	10	3	2	39	16	23	33
2	Hook	16	10	2	4	35	22	13	32
3	AFC Shirley	15	9	3	3	33	18	15	30
4	Locks Heath	12	9	0	3	32	13	19	27
5	Liss Athletic	15	8	1	6	33	26	7	25
6	Denmead	15	7	3	5	33	24	9	24
7	Hedge End Rangers	15	6	5	4	22	18	4	23
8	Whitehill and Bordon	16	5	5	6	28	37	-9	20
9	Bishops Waltham Dynamos	14	5	4	5	28	24	4	19
10	Broughton	16	5	4	7	26	30	-4	19
11	Moneyfields Reserves	13	5	3	5	27	24	3	18
12	Southsea Sports	14	4	2	8	26	38	-12	14
13	Meon Milton	13	3	4	6	18	25	-7	13
14	Liphook United	15	3	4	8	17	31	-14	13
15	Stockbridge	15	2	2	11	24	50	-26	8
16	Andover Town	13	2	1	10	15	40	-25	7

FIXTURES

Saturday 6 December

Denmead v Liss Athletic

Locks Heath v Moneyfields Reserves

Hampshire Senior Trophy Third Round

AFC Shirley v Petersfield Town Reserves

Andover Town v Bournemouth Sports

Headley United v Hedge End Rangers

Liphook United v Hook

Meon Milton v Lyndhurst

Southsea Sports v Fareham Town Development

Stockbridge v Hart United

United Services Portsmouth Reserves v Broughton

Whitecroft & Barton Sports v Whitehill & Bordon

NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH- CORSHAM PRINT WILTSHIRE SENIOR LEAGUE

RESULTS

Saturday 29 November

Cricklade Town 0-5 Shrivenham

Down Ampney 1-2 Devizes Town Reserves

Royal Wootton Bassett Town Development 1-4 Shrewton United

Swindon Supermarine Development 0-0 Pewsey Vale

Fountain Trophies Senior Cup Second Round

Bemerton Heath Harlequins Reserves 0-2 Melksham Town Reserves

TABLE

POS	WILTSHIRE SENIOR	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Shrewton United	20	16	2	2	79	22	57	50
2	Swindon Supermarine Dev	20	13	2	5	52	31	21	41
3	Larkhall Athletic Dev	18	12	4	2	53	19	34	40
4	Melksham Town Reserves	19	11	4	4	46	28	18	37
5	Royal W Bassett Town Dev	21	10	6	5	45	30	15	36
6	Pewsey Vale	20	9	8	3	39	18	21	35
7	Shrivenham	20	11	2	7	49	35	14	35
8	Letcombe	18	9	6	3	30	19	11	33
9	Faringdon Town	17	6	6	5	21	22	-1	24
10	Purton Kingsdown	20	6	5	9	37	44	-7	23
11	Devizes Town Reserves	20	6	3	11	29	51	-22	21
12	Park United	18	6	1	11	25	33	-8	19
13	Down Ampney	18	5	2	11	31	49	-18	17
14	Bemerton H H Reserves	20	5	2	13	23	45	-22	17
15	Cricklade Town	20	4	5	11	36	63	-27	17
16	Trowbridge Town	18	4	3	11	22	47	-25	15
17	Wroughton [*]	17	4	4	9	27	48	-21	13
18	Calne Town Reserves	20	1	3	16	28	68	-40	6

FIXTURES

Saturday 6 December

Devizes Town Reserves v Bemerton Heath Harlequins Reserves

Down Ampney v Swindon Supermarine Development

Letcombe v Royal Wootton Bassett Town Development

Park United v Purton Kingsdown

Shrewton United v Cricklade Town

Shrivenham v Melksham Town Reserves

Larkhall Athletic Development v Calne Town Reserves

Trowbridge Town v Faringdon Town

Wiltshire Senior Cup Second Round

Pewsey Vale v Wroughton

NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH- HAMPSHIRE COMBINATION & DEVELOPMENT

RESULTS

Sunday 23 November

Hampshire Combination Under 18 Cup 2nd Round

AB66 Portsmouth 0-3 Salisbury

Bemerton Heath Harlequins 8-0 Romsey Town

Eastleigh Spitfires 7-0 U.S. Portsmouth

Fareham Town Black 2-1 Petersfield Town
 Pace 4-2 Hayling United
 Ringwood Town 3-1 Fareham Town Reds
 Sholing 0-5 Eastleigh 1946
 Wimborne Town 2-2 Baffins Milton Rovers [4-3 on penalties]
 Winchester City Blue 2-4 Gosport Borough

Tuesday 25 November

Hampshire Combination Under 23 Cup 2nd Round

Ringwood Town 5-1 Hamble Club

Under 23 Premier Division

AFC Stoneham 3-1 Dorchester Town

Under 23 Division 1

Millbrook 5-0 Whiteley Wanderers

Wednesday 26 November

Under 23 Premier Division

Fareham Town 2-2 Poole Town

Hedge End Rangers 1-1 Select Generation

Under 23 Division 1

Verwood Town 2-2 Bemerton Heath Harlequins

Thursday 27 November

Under 23 Division 1

Romsey Town 4-1 Folland Sports

Saturday 29 November

John Stimpson Memorial Shield 3rd Round

Hedge End Rangers 1-1 Meon Milton [3-5 on penalties]

Premier Division

AFC Stoneham 4-3 Ringwood Town

Brockenhurst 1-4 Millbrook

U.S. Portsmouth 5-3 AFC Portchester

TABLES

POS	PREMIER DIVISION	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Petersfield Town	9	6	1	2	25	20	5	19
2	AFC Stoneham	7	5	1	1	26	9	17	16
3	United Services Portsmouth	7	5	1	1	22	7	15	16
4	Laverstock & Ford	7	3	2	2	27	19	8	11
5	Millbrook	10	3	2	5	23	19	4	11
6	Brockenhurst	8	3	2	3	20	18	2	11
7	Ringwood Town	8	3	0	5	18	19	-1	9
8	Downton	6	2	1	3	13	17	-4	7
9	AFC Portchester	8	2	0	6	10	34	-24	6
10	Clanfield	6	1	0	5	8	30	-22	3

POS	DIVISION ONE	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Amesbury Town	9	5	1	3	29	13	16	16
2	Liss Athletic	7	4	3	0	15	5	10	15
3	Meon Milton	8	4	2	2	29	20	9	14
4	Southsea Sports	10	4	1	5	21	31	-10	13
5	Clanfield Development	9	3	2	4	20	19	1	11
6	Hedge End Rangers	8	3	1	4	18	17	1	10
7	Liphook United	10	3	1	6	18	30	-12	10
8	Fawley AFC	8	2	2	4	20	25	-5	8
9	Hythe & Dibden	5	2	1	2	11	21	-10	7

POS	U23 PREMIER	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Winchester City U23	5	5	0	0	22	4	18	15
2	Poole Town U23	10	4	3	3	24	24	0	15
3	Dorchester Town U23	6	4	0	2	24	13	11	12
4	Ringwood Town U23	5	4	0	1	15	8	7	12
5	Hedge End Rangers U23	7	3	2	2	14	13	1	11
6	Fareham Town U23	6	3	1	2	20	9	11	10
7	AFC Stoneham U23	7	3	0	4	18	16	2	9
8	Select Generation U23	9	1	2	6	12	34	-22	5
9	Hamble Club U23	4	1	1	2	11	12	-1	4
10	Lymington Town U23	9	1	1	7	8	35	-27	4

POS	U23 DIVISION ONE	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Bemerton Heath Harlequins U23	8	7	1	0	34	10	24	22
2	Romsey Town U23	9	6	1	2	24	18	6	19
3	Millbrook U23	7	6	0	1	26	9	17	18
4	North Waltham U23	8	5	0	3	29	17	12	15
5	New Milton Town U23	7	4	1	2	18	13	5	13
6	Blackfield & Langley U23	7	3	0	4	17	22	-5	9
7	Folland Sports U23	6	2	1	3	12	11	1	7
8	Verwood Town U23	6	2	1	3	12	16	-4	7
9	Clanfield U23	9	2	1	6	13	34	-21	7
10	Laverstock & Ford U23	6	2	0	4	20	18	2	6
11	Whiteley Wanderers U23	8	0	2	6	5	23	-18	2
12	Hayling United U23	7	0	2	5	7	26	-19	2

FIXTURES

Sunday 30 November

Hampshire Combination Under 18 Cup 2nd Round

Bishop Waltham Dynamos v Cobham Sports

Christchurch v Winchester City Red

Clanfield v Meon Milton

Horndean v Havant & Waterlooville

Millbrook v Brockenhurst

Poole Town v Cowes Sports

Under 18 Premier Division

Gosport Borough v Wimborne Town

Moneyfields v Fareham Town Black

Petersfield Town v Hamble Club

Under 18 East Division

Eastleigh Spitfires v Winchester City Blue

Sholing v Hayling United

U.S. Portsmouth v Baffins Milton Rovers

Under 18 West Division

Bashley v Ringwood Town

Pace v Bemerton Heath Harlequins

Salisbury v Romsey Town

Tuesday 2 December

John Stimpson Memorial Shield 3rd Round

Blackfield & Langley U23 v Fareham Town U23

Under 23 Premier Division

AFC Stoneham v Hedge End Rangers

Ringwood Town v Select Generation

Under 23 Division 1

Millbrook v Bemerton Heath Harlequins

Whiteley Wanderers v Clanfield

Wednesday 3 December

John Stimpson Memorial Shield 3rd Round

Hamble Club U23 v Dorchester Town U23

Under 23 Division 1

New Milton Town v Laverstock & Ford

Verwood Town v Hayling United

Thursday 4 December

Under 23 Premier Division

Winchester City v Poole Town

Under 23 Division 1

Folland Sports v Romsey Town

Saturday 6 December

Premier Division

Clanfield v AFC Portchester

Division One

Fawley AFC v Clanfield Development

Liss Athletic v Liphook United

ISUZU FA VASE THIRD ROUND- SATURDAY 6 DECEMBER

Ramsbottom United v Nelson

Winsford United v Prestwich Heys

North Shields v Liversedge

Chadderton v Burscough

Droylsden v Fulwood Amateurs

Rossington Main v West Didsbury & Chorlton

Albion Sports v South Liverpool

Northampton ON Chenecks v Bilston Town

Coventry United v Hanley Town

Gornal Athletic v Grantham Town

Radford v Heather St. Johns

Gresley Rovers v Desborough Town

Sherwood Colliery v Retford United

GNG Oadby Town v Nuneaton Town

Harpenden Town v Haringey Borough

Halesworth Town v Lymore Gardens

Dereham Town v Benfleet

Cockfosters v Soul Tower Hamlets

Saffron Walden Town v Great Yarmouth Town

Reading City v Snodland Town

Haywards Heath Town v Berks County

Faversham SF v Crawley Down Gatwick

Burnham v Punjab United

Whitstable Town v Eastbourne United

Fisher v Fleet Town

Tunbridge Wells v Windsor & Eton

Bovey Tracey v **Downton**

Slimbridge v **Amesbury Town**

Buckland Athletic v Barnstaple Town

Hallen v **Hamworthy Recreation**

AFC Stoneham v Cinderford Town

Hythe & Dibden v Sturminster Newton United

The road to Wembley resumes next week for five of our teams, here's the matches scheduled for them.

NOTES: The tie between Lymore Gardens and Halesworth Town has been reversed due to a ground share so will be played at the Dairy Hill home of Halesworth Town. Faversham Strike Force v Crawley Down Gatwick will be played on Sunday 7 December- at Whitstable Town. Two other amendments to note from our previous publication is that Gresley Rovers and GNG Oadby Town have both been reinstated after Sutton United and Clay Cross Town respectively were found to have played an ineligible player in the previous round- namely a player who had played for another team in this season's competition. However at the time of writing the Clay Cross issue is still in the time frame for appeal. A cautionary tale there for our five clubs, winners can look forward to the fourth round which is scheduled for Saturday 17 January.

Good luck to our fabulous five!

THE LAST WORD

The League would like to offer Clubs the opportunity to host the Velocity Wessex League Cup Final in May 2026. Clubs have been circulated with the requirements, those wishing to express an interest and having the necessary facilities must contact the League Secretary by Sunday, 14th December 2025.

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	AFC Stoneham	16	13	1	2	43	15	28	40	2.500
2	Petersfield Town	17	13	1	3	32	11	21	40	2.353
3	Hamble Club	17	10	5	2	41	14	27	35	2.059
4	Andover New Street	17	9	3	5	29	19	10	30	1.765
5	Brockenhurst	18	8	5	5	35	27	8	29	1.611
6	Portland United	15	9	1	5	36	21	15	28	1.867
7	Sherborne Town	14	8	2	4	32	20	12	26	1.857
8	Hamworthy Recreation	15	8	2	5	27	18	9	26	1.733
9	Baffins Milton Rovers	15	7	4	4	33	21	12	25	1.667
10	Laverstock & Ford	16	6	6	4	33	23	10	24	1.500
11	Downton	16	7	2	7	30	26	4	23	1.438
12	Christchurch	16	6	3	7	28	32	-4	21	1.313
13	East Cowes Victoria	14	6	2	6	18	28	-10	20	1.429
14	Bournemouth	18	5	3	10	22	33	-11	18	1.000
15	Cowes Sports	15	5	1	9	17	38	-21	16	1.067
16	Hythe & Dibden	14	3	4	7	24	32	-8	13	0.929
17	Millbrook	16	4	1	11	23	39	-16	13	0.813
18	Bemerton Heath Harlequins	17	3	3	11	13	40	-27	12	0.706
19	Wincanton Town	18	1	4	13	16	46	-30	7	0.389
20	New Milton Town [*]	16	1	3	12	12	41	-29	3	0.188

POS	DIVISION ONE	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS	PPG
1	Fleetlands	20	13	3	4	42	26	16	42	2.100
2	Colden Common	20	12	3	5	61	38	23	39	1.950
3	Whitchurch United	18	12	2	4	44	26	18	38	2.111
4	Yateley United	20	10	2	8	47	33	14	32	1.600
5	Frimley Green	17	8	7	2	45	29	16	31	1.824
6	Folland Sports	16	10	1	5	38	22	16	31	1.938
7	Cove	16	8	6	2	28	16	12	30	1.875
8	Ash United	18	8	5	5	24	24	0	29	1.611
9	Romsey Town	17	8	4	5	29	20	9	28	1.647
10	Newport (IoW)	15	9	1	5	27	22	5	28	1.867
11	Hamworthy United	18	8	3	7	49	31	18	27	1.500
12	Ringwood Town	18	8	1	9	35	42	-7	25	1.389
13	Amesbury Town	18	6	3	9	31	29	2	21	1.167
14	United Services Portsmouth	19	6	3	10	29	46	-17	21	1.105
15	Alresford Town	17	5	5	7	33	37	-4	20	1.176
16	Clanfield	18	6	2	10	26	31	-5	20	1.111
17	Kintbury Rangers	17	5	4	8	32	42	-10	19	1.118
18	AFC Aldermaston	17	4	4	9	27	32	-5	16	0.941
19	Fawley AFC	18	3	5	10	18	41	-23	14	0.778
20	Lymington Town	18	4	2	12	22	46	-24	14	0.778
21	Blackfield & Langley	17	4	2	11	18	44	-26	14	0.824
22	Totton & Eling	18	3	2	13	13	41	-28	11	0.611

PHOTO FINISH



Action today from Victoria Park where visitors Portland United (blue) hit three without reply against Bournemouth



A game of two halves at Ringwood (red). Leaders Fleetlands were behind at the break but totally dominated the second half, but they left it late to snatch victory. Thanks to Roger Allen for the picture.