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CHAIRMAN'S WELCOME

WELCOME TO LYONS WAY FOR TODAY'S MATCH. WIN, LOSE OR DRAW I HOPE YOU ENJOY YOUR VISIT AND PLEASE MAKE USE OF THE BAR AND CATERING FACILITIES.

LAST SEASON'S SUCCESS IN MAKING THE PLAY OFF SEMI FINAL TO EVENTUALLY LOSE ON PENALTIES HAS MADE US EVEN MORE DETERMINED TO PUSH FOR MORE SUCCESS THIS TIME AROUND.

THE MANAGEMENT TEAM HAVE BEEN WORKING HARD DURING THE SUMMER BREAK TO DEVELOP OUR YOUNG PLAYERS AND WITH THE ADDITION OF SOME NEW FACES, THE FUTURE HERE AT LYONS WAY LOOKS BRIGHT AND I AM EXTREMELY ENCOURAGED BY WHAT I HAVE SEEN DURING OUR PRE SEASON CAMPAIGN.

PLEASE ENCOURAGE THE PLAYERS AT ALL TIMES AND DO REFRAIN FROM USING FOUL OR ABUSIVE LANGUAGE AS WE PRIDE OURSELVES IN HAVING A FAMILY FRIENDLY ENVIRONMENT.

LASTLY, I WOULD LIKE TO THANK ALL OF OUR SPONSORS ESPECIALLY OUR MAIN CLUB SPONSOR, SAYWELL INTERNATIONAL, WHOSE SUPPORT OVER MANY YEARS HAS BEEN INVALUABLE.

ENJOY THE GAME



MARK SANDERSON, CHAIRMAN

CLUB SPONSOR

GOOD EVENING TO YOU AND WELCOME TO WORTHING UNITED'S GROUND OF WHICH WE ARE VERY PROUD, IN PARTICULAR OUR MAGNIFICENT STAND WHICH WAS ERECTED IN MEMORY OF OUR TWO PLAYERS JACOB SCHILT AND MATTHEW GRIMSTONE WHO LOST THEIR LIVES IN THE TRAGIC SHOREHAM AIR DISASTER OF 2015.

WE ARE FULL OF RENEWED ENTHUSIASM THIS SEASON AND DETERMINED TO PLAY ENTERTAINING FOOTBALL, AND WITH MARK SANDERSON IN THE CHAIR AND BILL CLIFFORD MANAGING TEAM AFFAIRS WE EMBARK ON THE SEASON WITH OPTIMISM.

MY COMPANY SAYWELL INTERNATIONAL, WHICH IS LOCATED ADJACENT TO THE GROUND, IS PROUD TO BE THE MAIN SPONSOR OF WORTHING UNITED. BEING A KEEN FOOTBALL SUPPORTER - I STILL PLAY MYSELF - I LOOK FORWARD TO THE NEW SEASON FULL OF EXCITEMENT AND ANTICIPATION.

I HOPE YOUR VISIT TO US WILL BE AN ENJOYABLE ONE AND I WISH YOU ALL A SAFE JOURNEY HOME.

PETERSAYWELL, CEO OF SAYWELL INTERNATIONAL



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MEET THE MANAGEMENT



BILL CLIFFORD
MANAGER
IN ROLE SINCE: 2022



CRAIG NAGLE
HEAD COACH
IN ROLE SINCE: 2022



JACK WILLIS
ASSISTANT COACH
IN ROLE SINCE: 2023



PAUL BAILEY
PHYSIO
IN ROLE SINCE: 2019

STAT ZONE

2024/25 SEASON STATS (ALL COMPETITIONS)

TOP GOALSCORER

13

D. KINGSTON

10 - T. HARDING

8 - B. HUNT

MOST APPEARANCES

25

D. KINGSTON

24 - M. PUDDPHATT

23 - A. WEBBER

MOST YELLOW CARDS

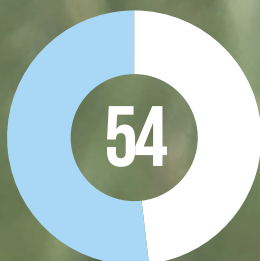
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M. PUDDPHATT

3 - B. HUNT

3 - D. KINGSTON

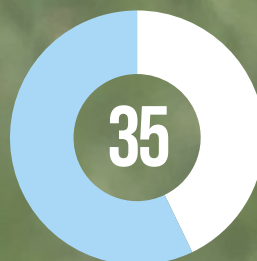
GOALS SCORED



■ FIRST HALF
■ SECOND HALF

JOINT 9TH BEST ATTACK IN LEAGUE

GOALS CONCEDED



JOINT 3RD BEST DEFENCE IN LEAGUE

MEET THE TEAM



N. BRYSON (GK)
40 APPEARANCES, 0 GOALS
AGE: 19 YEARS OLD



J. LAW (DEF)
25 APPEARANCES, 0 GOALS
AGE: 22 YEARS OLD



A. JONES (GK)
10 APPEARANCES, 0 GOALS
AGE: 17 YEARS OLD



B. KIRK-PATRICK (DEF)
24 APPEARANCES, 0 GOALS
AGE: 26 YEARS OLD



A. YOUNGER (DEF)
91 APPEARANCES, 5 GOALS
AGE: 21 YEARS OLD



S. ANDREWS (DEF)
16 APPEARANCES, 0 GOALS
AGE: 20 YEARS OLD



J. YOUNGER (DEF)
47 APPEARANCES, 0 GOALS
AGE: 24 YEARS OLD



J. MAHER (MID)
4 APPEARANCES, 0 GOALS
AGE: 33 YEARS OLD



L. SA CASTRO (DEF)
67 APPEARANCES, 2 GOALS
AGE: 24 YEARS OLD



H. BUTLER (MID)
21 APPEARANCES, 0 GOALS
AGE: 26 YEARS OLD



A. WEBBER (DEF)
94 APPEARANCES, 11 GOALS
AGE: 23 YEARS OLD



J. SPARKES (MID)
81 APPEARANCES, 3 GOALS
AGE: 21 YEARS OLD



H. DEVALL (DEF)
60 APPEARANCES, 0 GOALS
AGE: 30 YEARS OLD



D. SHERWOOD (MID)
171 APPEARANCES, 17 GOALS
AGE: 23 YEARS OLD

TEAM CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGE

MEET THE TEAM CONTINUED



T. HARDING (ATT)
41 APPEARANCES, 13 GOALS
AGE: 19 YEARS OLD



M. PUDDEPHATT (ATT)
71 APPEARANCES, 9 GOALS
AGE: 21 YEARS OLD



L. APPLETON (ATT)
54 APPEARANCES, 17 GOALS
AGE: 18 YEARS OLD



H. BLACKLAW-TAYLOR (ATT)
31 APPEARANCES, 1 GOAL
AGE: 20 YEARS OLD



B. HUNT (ATT)
76 APPEARANCES, 28 GOALS
AGE: 31 YEARS OLD



B. HANLEY (ATT)
23 APPEARANCES, 0 GOALS
AGE: 18 YEARS OLD



D. KINGSTON (ATT)
58 APPEARANCES, 22 GOALS
AGE: 19 YEARS OLD

PLAYERS NOT PICTURED-
A. POTTER (5 APPEARANCES, 0 GOALS);
D. HILLS (147 APPEARANCES, 56 GOALS)

SPONSORSHIP AVAILABLE

PLEASE ENQUIRE FOR DETAILS

RECENT RESULTS

ALFOLD 2-2 WORTHING UNITED

BILLINGSHURST 0-2 WORTHING UNITED

SEAFORD TOWN 3-1 WORTHING UNITED

WORTHING UNITED 1-0 ARUNDEL

F = FRIENDLY; C = CUP

NEXT UP FOR THE MAVS

VS MILE OAK (A) - 22/2/25

VS CHESSINGTON (A) - 25/2/25

VS REGATE PRIORY (H) - 1/3/25

VS INFINITY (A) - 8/3/25

ALL FIXTURES SUBJECT TO CHANGE. LEAGUE GAMES UNLESS STATED

SCFL DIV ONE LEAGUE TABLE

Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	Diff	Pts	Form
1	 Seaford Town	26	20	2	4	73	21	52	62	■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■
2	 Dorking Wanderers B	26	19	0	7	86	42	44	57	■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■
3	 Forest Row	24	17	5	2	67	23	44	56	■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■
4	 Godalming Town	25	13	9	3	37	20	17	48	■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■
5	 Infinity	24	11	8	5	53	34	19	41	■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■
6	 Worthing United	21	12	3	6	43	22	21	39	■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■
7	 AFC Uckfield Town	20	12	1	7	49	37	12	37	■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■
8	 Billingshurst	22	11	3	8	46	37	9	36	■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■
9	 Selsey	25	10	6	9	46	37	9	36	■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■
10	 Arundel	24	10	4	10	53	52	1	34	■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■
11	 Mile Oak	27	10	3	14	36	41	-5	33	■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■
12	 Storrington	24	9	4	11	47	41	6	31	■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■
13	 Chessington & Hook	23	9	3	11	43	48	-5	30	■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■
14	 Reigate Priory	24	9	3	12	40	48	-8	30	■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■
15	 East Preston	24	9	2	13	39	50	-11	29	■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■
16	 Oakwood	23	7	3	13	29	53	-24	24	■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■
17	 Banstead Athletic	23	6	4	13	33	58	-25	22	■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■
18	 Cophorne	27	4	4	19	29	86	-57	16	■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■
19	 Montpelier Villa	26	3	3	20	27	71	-44	12	■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■
20	 Alfold	22	3	2	17	21	76	-55	11	■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■

TABLE CORRECT AS OF 22:00 GMT ON 16/2/25

AROUND THE CLUB

U23S

U23S MANAGER- JACK WILLIS

LAST RESULT

 **WORTHING UNITED U23S** 4

 **EAST PRESTON U23S** 0

NEXT GAME (20/2)

 **WORTHING UNITED U23S**

 **ARUNDEL U23S**

 **CURRENT LEAGUE POSITION: 7TH**

U18S

U18S MANAGER- DANIEL FULLER-SMITH

LAST RESULT

 **WORTHING UNITED U18S** 4

 **CHICHESTER CITY U18S** 0

NEXT GAME (2/3)

 **WORTHING UNITED U18S**

 **BOGNOR REGIS U18S**

 **CURRENT LEAGUE POSITION: 1ST**

MANAGER'S SUNDAY ROUNDUP

THE 1ST TEAM GAME AT AFC UCKFIELD TOWN YESTERDAY WAS POSTPONED FOR THE THIRD TIME THIS SEASON AFTER THE PITCH THE THE OAKS FAILED AN INSPECTION AGAIN. IN FACT IT WAS THE ONLY GAME CALLED OFF ACROSS ALL THREE DIVISIONS!

MEANWHILE THE UNDER 23S CONTINUED THEIR GOOD FORM WITH ANOTHER CLEAN SHEET AND 4-0 WIN OVER EAST PRESTON AT HOME ON THURSDAY NIGHT.

THE UNDER 18S ALSO SCORED FOUR WITHOUT REPLY THIS MORNING AT HOME TO CHICHESTER CITY TO MAINTAIN THEIR POSITION AT THE TOP OF THEIR DIVISION.

THE WEEK AHEAD SEE THE 1ST TEAM ENTERTAIN GODALMING TOWN ON TUESDAY NIGHT AND THEN VISIT MILE OAK ON SATURDAY. THE 23S HOST ARUNDEL ON THURSDAY, WHILST THE 18S HAVE A WEEKEND OFF.



LAST TIME OUT



ALFOLD

2

RIDDLES (60); DANKYIRA (78)



WORTHING UNITED

2

APPLETON (47); HILLS (75)

WORTHING UNITED DREW WITH BOTTOM SIDE ALFOLD AFTER A SPIRITED PERFORMANCE FROM THE OPPOSITION GOALKEEPER.

THE FIRST HALF SAW LITTLE ACTION OF NOTE, APART FROM AN EXCELLENT SAVE FROM THE ALFOLD GOALKEEPER.

THE SECOND HALF BURST TO LIFE, WITH APPLETON TURNING J. YOUNGER'S CROSS INTO THE NET, BEFORE KINGSTON'S PENALTY WAS SAVED WELL BY THE ALFOLD KEEPER AFTER HILLS WAS TRIPPED IN THE BOX. THE HOSTS REPLIED SWIFTLY, AFTER POOR DEFENDING BY THE MAVS FROM A CORNER ALLOWED RIDDLES TO FIRE HOME.

WORTHING UTD REGAINED THE LEAD THROUGH A GLANCING HEADER BY HILLS FROM A FREE KICK, HOWEVER THE VISITORS WERE PEGGED BACK ONCE AGAIN AS DANKYIRA TAPPED HOME FROM A CUTBACK. THE MAVS PUSHED FOR A WINNER BUT COULD NOT CONVERT A FLURRY OF LATE CHANCES, HITTING THE POST IN THE FINAL ATTACK OF THE GAME.

THE RESULT LEAVES WORTHING UTD IN THE PLAYOFFS, WHILST ALFOLD REMAIN BOTTOM.



HALF TIME QUIZ

GUESS THE PLAYER

EASY

HARD

Youth career		
years	club	
1992-1993	CO Les Ulis	
1993-1997	CSF Brétigny	
1997-1998	Paris Saint-Germain	
Senior career		
years	club	games (goals)
1998-1999	Marsala Calcio	24 (3)
1999-2000	AC Monza Brianza	3 (0)
1999-2000	Calcio Monza	3 (0)
2000-2001	OGC Nizza B	18 (1)
2000-2002	OGC Nice	40 (1)
2002-2006	AS Monaco	120 (2)
2006-2014	Manchester United	273 (7)
2014-2017	Juventus Turin	53 (3)
2017	Olympique Marseille	15 (1)
2018	West Ham United	5 (0)
2020	Brentham FC	1 (0)
National team		
years	team	games (goals)
2004-2016	France	81 (0)

source: wikipedia.com

Senior career		
years	club	games (goals)
1992-1995	Neuchâtel Xamax	91 (1)
1995-1997	Hamburger SV	49 (2)
1997-1999	Blackburn Rovers	70 (0)
1999-2005	Liverpool	135 (0)
2005	Celtic Glasgow	6 (0)
2005-2006	Wigan Athletic	26 (0)
2006-2008	Blackburn Rovers	12 (0)
National team		
years	team	games (goals)
1993-2005	Switzerland	72 (0)
Teams managed		
years	club	
2009-2010	FC Bulle	
2019	FC Sion	
2019	Neuchâtel Xamax	
2020	Neuchâtel Xamax	

source: wikipedia.com

ANSWERS

EASY: PATRICE EVRA
HARD: STEPHANE HENCHOZ

MATCHDAY HELPERS NEEDED AT LYONS WAY

WORTHING UNITED FC WOULD GREATLY APPRECIATE SOME ASSISTANCE ON MATCH-DAYS, TO HELP WITH THE SMOOTH RUNNING OF THE CLUB

DUTIES WOULD BE LIGHT, AND MAY INVOLVE JOBS SUCH AS:

- TIDYING THE ENTRANCE AND TEA-HUT AREAS
- MAKING THE PLAYERS' HALF-TIME DRINKS
- RUBBISH DISPOSAL
- ERRANDS TO SAINSBURY'S TO COLLECT FOOD
- RETRIEVAL OF FOOTBALLS
- POST-MATCH CLEARING UP

HELPERS REWARDED
WITH A FREE BURGER
AND DRINK!

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED, PLEASE CONTACT ANY COMMITTEE MEMBER ON A MATCH DAY. YOUR FOOTBALL CLUB NEEDS YOU!

ABOUT THE OPPOSITION



THE CLUB HAS ITS ORIGINS AS GODALMING UNITED FC, FORMED IN 1950 BY EX-PUPILS OF GODALMING GRAMMAR SCHOOL. THE CLUB WAS ACCEPTED INTO THE COMBINED COUNTIES LEAGUE FOR THE START OF THE 1978 SEASON, AND A YEAR LATER THE NAME WAS CHANGED AGAIN, TO GODALMING TOWN FC. A FANTASTIC 2005/06 SEASON SAW THE SIDE TAKE THE COMBINED COUNTIES LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIP AND LEAGUE CUP BY STORM. GODALMING TOWN WERE THEN ACCEPTED BY THE ISTHMIAN LEAGUE. THE 2009/10 SEASON WAS ARGUABLY THE BEST SEASON IN THE HISTORY OF THE CLUB. TOWN FINISHED A RECORD HIGH POSITION 4TH IN THE RYMAN SOUTH BUT WERE EVENTUALLY BEATEN 2-1 IN THE PLAYOFF FINAL. THE CLUB PROGRESSED FURTHER THAN EVER BEFORE IN THE FA TROPHY AND WON THE SURREY SENIOR CUP.

THE 2011/12 SEASON SAW NEW FACES JOIN, BUT THE TEAM QUICKLY GELLED, REACHING THE FA CUP 4TH QUALIFYING ROUND. 2012/13 SAW GODALMING TO THEIR HIGHEST EVER FINISH IN THE PYRAMID, FINISHING IN 3RD PLACE AND GODALMING LIFTED THE SURREY SENIOR CUP FOR THE SECOND TIME IN FOUR YEARS. THE 2016/2017 SEASON COULD BE VIEWED AS AN ANNUS HORIBILIS, AS WINS BECAME LESS FREQUENT THAN MANAGEMENT CHANGES. INEVITABLY RELEGATION FOLLOWED AND DAN DEPARTED, AS DID MUCH OF THE ENTIRE FIRST TEAM. 2017/18 LED TO A SECOND RELEGATION IN TWO YEARS. WE COMPETE IN THE SOUTHERN COMBINATION LEAGUE DIVISION ONE AFTER BEING SWITCHED FROM THE COMBINED COUNTIES LEAGUE FOR 21/22. THE 22/23 SEASON WAS A GOOD SEASON WHERE G'S MADE THE SCFL DIV ONE PLAYOFF SEMI-FINALS, ALSO WINNING THE DIVISION ONE CUP AND MAKING THE SURREY FA PREMIER CUP FINAL. IN 2023/24 SEASON, G'S FINISHED 9TH IN THE LEAGUE. G'S THEN APPOINTED FORMER COACH, MO SHER AS FIRST TEAM MANAGER FOR THE 2024/25 SEASON.

JAMES ROSS, JEWELLERS

PROUD SPONSORS OF WORTHING UNITED

FOR MORE THAN 100 YEARS MY FAMILY HAS BEEN PART OF THE JEWELLERY BUSINESS. MY GREAT, GREAT GRANDFATHER WORKED IN THE JEWELRY QUARTER IN BIRMINGHAM AND MY GREAT GRANDFATHER MOVED TO BRIGHTON AND UNDERTOOK REPAIRS IN SHOPS AROUND THE TOWN.

MY GRANDFATHER ESTABLISHED THE CURRENT REPAIR BUSINESS IN 1946, WHICH IS NOW RUN BY MY FATHER HENRY, AND MY BROTHER SAM, WHO PROVIDE SERVICING AND REPAIRS FOR SHOPS ACROSS SUSSEX.



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CLUB HISTORY

THE CLUB WAS ORIGINALLY CALLED WIGMORE ATHLETIC AND WERE ONE OF THE FOUNDER MEMBERS OF DIVISION TWO OF THE SUSSEX COUNTY FOOTBALL LEAGUE FOR THE 1952-53 SEASON. THE FIRST SEASON IN THE LEAGUE BROUGHT INSTANT SUCCESS AS THEY FINISHED AS CHAMPIONS AND GAINED PROMOTION TO DIVISION ONE. THE CLUB THEN SPENT THE NEXT THIRTEEN SEASONS IN DIVISION ONE DURING WHICH TIME THEY WON THE LEAGUE CUP IN THE 1959-60 SEASON. THIS PERIOD ALSO SAW THE CLUB MAKE THEIR DEBUT IN THE FA CUP. AT THE END OF THE THIRTEEN SEASONS IN DIVISION ONE THE CLUB WAS RELEGATED TO DIVISION TWO BUT AFTER TWO SEASONS WERE BACK IN DIVISION ONE. HOWEVER THE CLUB WAS IMMEDIATELY RELEGATED AGAIN, AND HAD TO WAIT UNTIL THE END OF THE 1973-74 CAMPAIGN TO GET BACK IN THE TOP DIVISION, WHEN THEY FINISHED AS CHAMPIONS OF DIVISION TWO. THE CLUB COMPETED IN DIVISION ONE FOR FOUR SEASONS BEFORE BEING RELEGATED TO DIVISION TWO WHERE THEY STAYED UNTIL THE END OF THE 1987-88 CAMPAIGN.

AT THE END OF THE 1987-88 CAMPAIGN WIGMORE ATHLETIC WERE RELEGATED TO DIVISION THREE OF THE SUSSEX COUNTY LEAGUE. THE CLUB THEN CHANGED ITS NAME TO WORTHING UNITED WHEN THEY AMALGAMATED WITH LOCAL SIDE SOUTHDOWN FC. THE NEWLY NAMED CLUB TOOK TWO SEASONS TO ESCAPE FROM DIVISION THREE, WHEN THEY GAINED PROMOTION BACK TO DIVISION TWO AS CHAMPIONS. THE CLUB THEN SPENT THE NEXT FOURTEEN SEASONS IN DIVISION TWO, WITH THE FINAL OF THESE FOURTEEN SEEING THE CLUB GAIN PROMOTION BACK INTO DIVISION ONE AS RUNNERS-UP IN THE 2003-04 SEASON. THE CLUB REMAINED IN DIVISION ONE UNTIL THE END OF THE 2008-09 CAMPAIGN WHEN THEY FINISHED BOTTOM OF THE DIVISION AND FOUND THEMSELVES BACK IN DIVISION TWO. THEY WON PROMOTION BACK TO DIVISION ONE IN THE 2010-11 SEASON UNDER MANAGER DOMINIC DI PAOLA.

IN JANUARY 2013 WORTHING UNITED APPOINTED PAUL CURTIS AS THEIR MANAGER. IN NOVEMBER 2013 JOHN FOLEY WAS APPOINTED AS HIS REPLACEMENT. THE SEASON ENDED WITH RELEGATION BACK TO DIVISION 2. THIS SEASON MALCOLM GAMLEN, THE CLUB SECRETARY FOR OVER 20 YEARS, SADLY PASSED AWAY. JUNE 2014 SAW ANOTHER MANAGERIAL CHANGE WITH NIGEL GEARY REPLACING JOHN FOLEY. IN HIS FIRST YEAR AT THE HELM, GEARY GUIDED THE CLUB BACK TO THE NEW 'PREMIER DIVISION' FORMERLY KNOWN AS DIVISION ONE, AFTER WINNING THE LEAGUE AND CUP DOUBLE.

ON 22ND AUGUST 2015 THE CLUB WAS HIT BY TRAGEDY WHEN MATTHEW GRIMSTONE AND JACOB SCHILT WERE LOST IN THE SHOREHAM AIR DISASTER. THE TEAM DID NOT PLAY AGAIN UNTIL 6TH SEPTEMBER, WHEN THEY FACED EAST PRESTON IN AN FA VASE TIE. THE MATCH WAS PLAYED IN FRONT OF MORE THAN 1000 SPECTATORS AND THE MAVERICKS WON THE GAME 2-1 IN DRAMATIC FASHION. THE 2015-16 SEASON FINISHED WITH GEARY'S MEN IN 14TH POSITION, THE CLUBS JOINT HIGHEST

AHEAD OF THE 2016-17 SEASON, MATT EVANS WAS APPOINTED U21 MANAGER AND GEARY REMAINED AS FIRST TEAM MANAGER. AS THE SEASON BEGAN, THE MAVERICKS EXPERIENCED MIXED FORTUNES AND IN NOVEMBER 2016, NIGEL GEARY DEPARTED THE CLUB AND WAS REPLACED BY SIMON FUNNELL. AT THE END OF THE SEASON, HAVING SECURED SURVIVAL, FUNNELL DEPARTED THE CLUB. MATT EVANS WAS PROMOTED TO FIRST TEAM MANAGER FOR THE 2017-18 SEASON. THE VASTLY EXPERIENCED BILL CLIFFORD TOOK THE MANAGERS ROLE FOR THE U21 TEAM. THE SEASON FINISHED WITH RELEGATION FOR THE MAVERICKS AND STEVE TAYLOR RESIGNED FROM HIS ROLE AS CHAIRMAN, MOVING TO LOCAL RIVALS LANCING. CHANGES WERE AFOOT IN THE SUMMER OF 2018 WITH BILL CLIFFORD BEING ELECTED AS CHAIRMAN, AND THE DECISION WAS MADE NOT TO ENTER AN U23 TEAM FOR THE 2018/19 SEASON, ALTHOUGH MANY OF THAT TEAM WERE NOW IN THE FIRST TEAM PLANS. MATT EVANS RETAINED HIS ROLE AS FIRST TEAM MANAGER. THE 2018/19 SEASON WAS AN EVENTFUL ONE. IN SEPTEMBER, AFTER A CONCERNING DIP IN FORM, MANAGER MATT EVANS LEFT THE CLUB. CURTIS FOSTER TOOK OVER THE REIGNS BUT AFTER JUST ONE MATCH IN CHARGE, HE LEFT THE MAVERICKS TO TAKE OVER AT SHOREHAM. ADAM KIPLING REPLACED HIM AND REMAINED IN PLACE UNTIL THE CONCLUSION OF THE SEASON, WITH A BOTTOM-PLACED FINISH ENDING A FORGETTABLE SEASON.

A RELEGATION REPRIEVE SAW THE MAVERICKS RETAIN THEIR DIVISION ONE STATUS, AND 2019/20 WAS SEEN AS A FRESH START WITH THE APPOINTMENT OF DANNY WOOD AS MANAGER. THE U23 DEVELOPMENT SQUAD WAS REINTRODUCED. IT WAS A SEASON OF TWO HALVES. THE MAVERICKS TOOK TIME TO GEL BUT AFTER STRUGGLING FOR FORM EARLY ON, THE TEAM ROSE UP THE TABLE AND INTO THE TOP HALF - COMPETING FOR A TOP TEN FINISH. THE SEASON WAS BROUGHT TO A PREMATURE END, WITH THE SEASON DECLARED NULL AND VOID AFTER THE OUTBREAK OF THE COVID-19 VIRUS ACROSS THE GLOBE.

THE 2020/21 SEASON WAS ALSO CURTAILED, WITH WORTHING UNITED LOSING ON PENALTIES IN THE COVID CUP, HOWEVER STEADY PROGRESSION HAS SEEN THE MAVERICKS SLOWLY IMPROVE, FINISHING 15TH IN 2021/22, 11TH IN 2022/23 AND 5TH IN 2023/24, LOSING ON PENALTIES IN THE PLAYOFF SEMI FINAL. THIS SEASON, THE TEAM AIM TO GO ONE BETTER AND WIN PROMOTION FROM DIVISION 1 UNDER BILL CLIFFORD.

TEAMSHEETS



WORTHING UNITED

N. BRYSON (GK)

J. YOUNGER

A. YOUNGER

A. WEBBER

E. DAVEY

H. DE VALL

L. SA CASTRO

H. BUTLER

D. SHERWOOD

J. SPARKES

D. KINGSTON

B. HUNT

M. PUDDEPHATT

L. APPLETON

T. HARDING

D. HILLS

MANAGER: BILL CLIFFORD

COACH: CRAIG NAGLE

ASST COACH: JACK WILLIS

PHYSIO: PAUL BAILEY



GODALMING

R. O'SULLIVAN

O. BALLAM

D. ADEOSUN

D. ALABI

J. O'SHEA BASHFORD

C. WELCH

J. MANSFIELD

C. STILLWELL

B. FANGAS

M. COX

J. COTTON

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O. MCALEESE

M. SOARES

E. WEALTHYLAND

C. EDWIN

MANAGER: MO SHER

ASST MANAGER: JACK WEBBE

COACH: RICHARD KEOWN

PHYSIO: STEVE SNELLING

MATCH OFFICIALS: NATHAN GEORGE, DUNCAN CARTER, ANTHONY O'BRIEN

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CLUB OFFICIALS

- LEN KILPATRICK - PRESIDENT
- PETER SAYWELL - VICE PRESIDENT, COMMITTEE MEMBER
- MARGARET SAYWELL - VICE PRESIDENT, COMMITTEE MEMBER
- PHIL GRIMSTONE - VICE PRESIDENT
- SUE GRIMSTONE - VICE PRESIDENT
- PAULINE GRIMSTONE - VICE PRESIDENT
- BOB SCHILT - VICE PRESIDENT
- CAROLINE SCHILT - VICE PRESIDENT
- MARK SANDERSON - CHAIRMAN, SECRETARY, GROUNDSMAN
- BILL CLIFFORD - TREASURER, COMMITTEE MEMBER
- JAMIE SANDERSON - ASSISTANT SECRETARY, SOCIAL MEDIA MANAGER
- ELLIE SANDERSON - CLUB WELFARE OFFICER
- GRAHAM HILL - COMMITTEE MEMBER
- IAN HALL-SMITH - COMMITTEE MEMBER
- BRIAN HUNDLEY - COMMITTEE MEMBER
- KIERAN LE MANQUAIS - COMMITTEE MEMBER, PROGRAMME EDITOR