MAVERICKS DIGITAL



SATURDAY 7TH NOVEMBER 2026

3PM KO

PREMIER SPORTS
SOUTHERN COMBINATION FOOTBALL LEAGUE

26/27 ISSUE 14

CHAIRMAN'S WELCOME

WELCOME TO LYONS WAY AS WE EMBARK ON ANOTHER SEASON IN DIVISION ONE OF THE SOUTHERN COMBINATION FOOTBALL LEAGUE AFTER NARROWLY MISSING OUT ON PROMOTION IN LAST SEASON'S PLAY OFFS. THIS TOGETHER WITH AN APPEARANCE IN THE FINAL OF THE RUR CUP MADE LAST YEAR A GREAT SEASON UNDER THE MANAGEMENT OF MARK CURRAM AND GLENN SOUTER ABLY ASSISTED BY COACHES CRAIG NAGLE AND JACK WILLIS NOT FORGETTING THE DOC, PAUL BAILEY.

THIS SEASON WE AIM TO GO ONE BETTER IN BOTH THE LEAGUE AND THE CUPS WITH PROMOTION DEFINITELY A TARGET AND A DECENT CUP RUN ON THE CARDS. ONCE AGAIN, THE CLUB EXTENDS ITS GRATEFUL THANKS TO OUR MAIN SPONSOR, SAYWELL INTERNATIONAL WITHOUT THE SUPPORT OF WHOM NONE OF THIS WOULD BE POSSIBLE. NEEDLESS TO SAY, THE CLUB DOES NOT RUN ITSELF AND I AM VERY GRATEFUL TO MY TEAM OF ENTHUSIASTIC VOLUNTEERS WHO ALL ASSIST IN THE RUNNING OF THE FOOTBALL CLUB.

ENJOY TODAY'S GAME AND PLEASE MAKE USE OF THE BAR AND CATERING FACILITIES.

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MARK SANDERSON
CHAIRMAN
WORTHING UNITED FC

MATT & JACOB

On the 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.

Every year the Sussex County FA holds memorial games in loving memory of Matt & Jacob. Matt & Jacob will always be remembered at the club. We have built the memorial stand to honour their name and we have the memorial garden which was constructed through donations of materials, and labour from local tradespersons, and businesses. Within the club house you will also see many other tributes dedicated to Matt & Jacob.

In 2025, to coincide with the 10th Anniversary of the Shoreham Air Crash, the Mavericks announced that the number 1 and 11 shirts would be permanently retired in Matt and Jacob's memory. The shirts were presented to the Grimstone and Schilt families at the annual memorial match so they are theirs forever.





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MEET THE MANAGEMENT



MARK CURRAM
MANAGER



GLENN SOUTER
MANAGER



CRAIG NAGLE
HEAD COACH



JACK WILLIS
ASST COACH



PAUL BAILEY
PHYSIO

MANAGEMENT TEAM AVAILABLE TO SPONSOR

MEET THE TEAM



S. MARSDEN
GOALKEEPER
17 APPEARANCES
0 GOALS
29 YEARS OLD
SPONSORED BY
GS EXEC



B. ABBOTT
GOALKEEPER
16 APPEARANCES
0 GOALS
21 YEARS OLD
SPONSORED BY
ABBOTT SURVEYORS



L. SA CASTRO
DEFENDER
124 APPEARANCES
4 GOALS
26 YEARS OLD
SPONSORED BY
CIA CARPENTRY



T. BUTLER
DEFENDER
151 APPEARANCES
11 GOALS
27 YEARS OLD
SPONSORED BY
DS PAVING



A. YOUNGER
DEFENDER
160 APPEARANCES
15 GOALS
23 YEARS OLD
SPONSORED BY
BABLE



J. YOUNGER
DEFENDER
115 APPEARANCES
4 GOALS
25 YEARS OLD
SPONSORED BY
CORE PHYSIO

MEET THE TEAM



E. DAVEY
DEFENDER
77 APPEARANCES
9 GOALS
21 YEARS OLD
SPONSORED BY CLAYTON STRATEGIC ADVISORS



A. TSOUNGUI
DEFENDER
7 APPEARANCES
0 GOALS
21 YEARS OLD
AVAILABLE TO SPONSOR



J. PITTAM
MIDFIELDER
9 APPEARANCES
0 GOALS
22 YEARS OLD
AVAILABLE TO SPONSOR



H. CURRAM
MIDFIELDER
3 APPEARANCES
0 GOALS
20 YEARS OLD
SPONSORED BY CUZZA'S WINDOW CLEANING



D. SHERWOOD
MIDFIELDER
253 APPEARANCES
33 GOALS
26 YEARS OLD
SPONSORED BY DUGOUT DIARIES



H. BUTLER
MIDFIELDER
62 APPEARANCES
0 GOALS
28 YEARS OLD
AVAILABLE TO SPONSOR

MEET THE TEAM



K. TANEV
MIDFIELDER
87 APPEARANCES
5 GOALS
22 YEARS OLD
SPONSORED BY
THE EMPIRE LOUNGE



L. KINGSTON
MIDFIELDER
1 APPEARANCE
0 GOALS
16 YEARS OLD
SPONSORED BY
DS PAVING



D. NOVIS
MIDFIELDER
13 APPEARANCES
0 GOALS
18 YEARS OLD
SPONSORED BY
VANTAGE MARINE

Available to Sponsor

R. SINGERS
MIDFIELDER
13 APPEARANCES
1 GOAL
31 YEARS OLD
AVAILABLE TO SPONSOR



L. TURNER
FORWARD
13 APPEARANCES
2 GOALS
27 YEARS OLD
SPONSORED BY
GS EXEC



D. NAGLE
FORWARD
84 APPEARANCES
16 GOALS
27 YEARS OLD
SPONSORED BY
TRM

MEET THE TEAM



L. APPLETON
FORWARD
127 APPEARANCES
38 GOALS
20 YEARS OLD
SPONSORED BY
CIA CARPENTRY



D. KINGSTON
FORWARD
132 APPEARANCES
56 GOALS
21 YEARS OLD
SPONSORED BY
DUGOUT DIARIES



M. PUDDEPHATT
FORWARD
129 APPEARANCES
17 GOALS
23 YEARS OLD
SPONSORED BY
THE SCHILT FAMILY



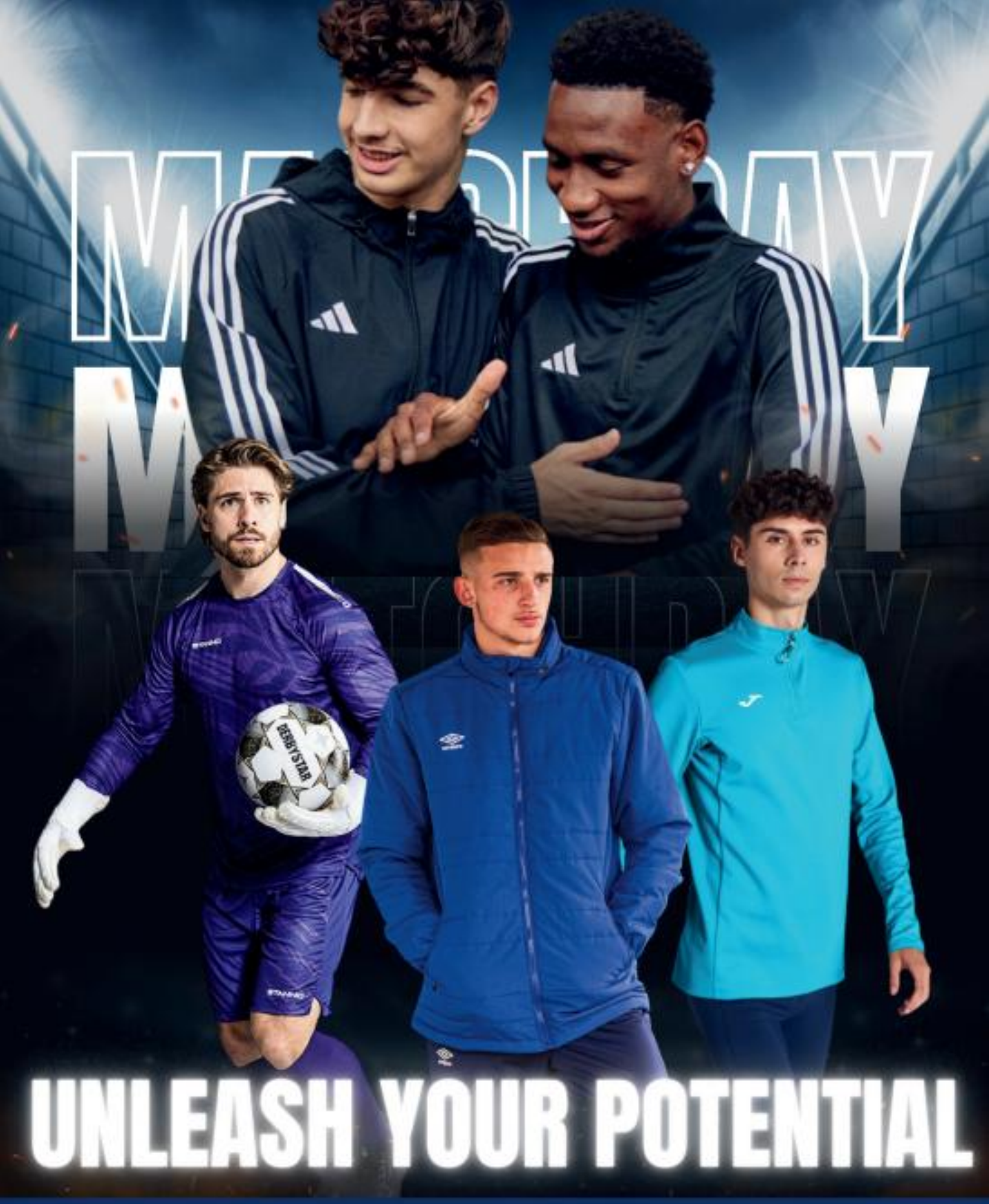
A. KAMIL
FORWARD
62 APPEARANCES
8 GOALS
24 YEARS OLD
SPONSORED BY
CIA CARPENTRY



J. SADLER
FORWARD
19 APPEARANCES
9 GOALS
25 YEARS OLD
SPONSORED BY
MADLAH MEP



D. HILLS
FORWARD
198 APPEARANCES
70 GOALS
25 YEARS OLD
SPONSORED BY
JOEL DAVISON



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STAT ZONE

2026/27 SEASON STATS (ALL COMPETITIONS)

TOP GOALSCORERS



D. KINGSTON



L APPLETON



J. SADLER

MOST APPEARANCES



D. SHERWOOD

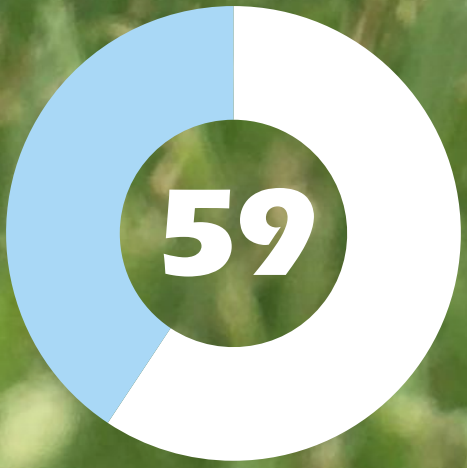


K. TANEV



L APPLETON

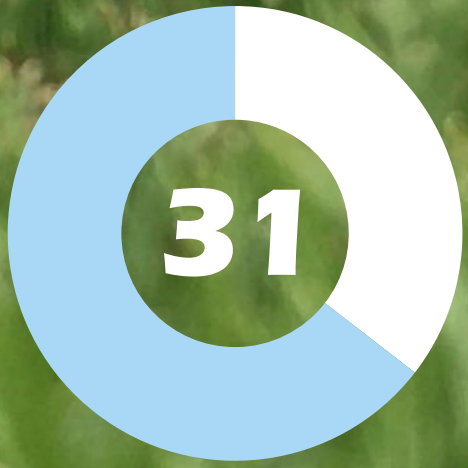
GOALS SCORED





2ND BEST ATTACK IN LEAGUE

GOALS CONCEDED



2ND BEST DEFENCE IN LEAGUE

SCFL DIV ONE LEAGUE TABLE

Pos	Team	P	GD	PTS
1	Infinity	15	30	40
2	AFC Walcountians	14	25	32
3	Jarvis Brook	14	17	30
4	Worthing United	14	27	27
5	Guildford City	15	13	26
6	Reigate Priory	14	16	25
7	Saltdean United	13	12	25
8	Hailsham Town	15	2	25
9	Dial Square	14	8	23
10	Mile Oak	15	-2	21
11	Loxwood	15	-1	20
12	Westfield	14	2	19
13	East Preston	14	0	18
14	Selsey	15	-13	18
15	Arundel	15	-15	16
16	Oakwood	14	-17	12
17	Clanfield	13	-23	9
18	Ringmer AFC	16	-28	9
19	Dorking Wanderers B	16	-21	8
20	Shoreham	15	-32	8

RECENT RESULTS

31/10





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03/11





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NEXT UP

10/11





7:30PM

14/11





3PM

21/11





3PM

28/11





3PM

HALF TIME QUIZ

TENABALL

Name the last 10 managers to win the Premier League Manager of the Month Award

Answers:

Fabian Hurzeler, Sergej Jakirovic, Pep Guardiola, Mikel Arteta, Michael Carrick, Unai Emery, Enzo Maresca, Ruben Amorim, Oliver Glasner, Arne Slot

MATCHDAY HELPERS NEEDED

WORTHING UNITED FC WOULD GREATLY APPRECIATE 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 INTERESTED, PLEASE CONTACT A COMMITTEE MEMBER ON MATCH DAYS

ABOUT THE OPPOSITION

ARUNDEL FC, NICKNAMED THE MULLETS, IS A DISTINGUISHED NON-LEAGUE FOOTBALL CLUB LOCATED IN THE PICTURESQUE TOWN OF ARUNDEL, WEST SUSSEX, ENGLAND. FOUNDED IN 1889, IT IS ONE OF THE REGION'S OLDEST CONTINUOUSLY OPERATING CLUBS, BOASTING A RICH HERITAGE AND A STRONG COMMUNITY IDENTITY CLOSELY TIED TO THE TOWN'S HISTORY. THE CLUB WAS ESTABLISHED IN 1889 AND BECAME A FOUNDER MEMBER OF THE WEST SUSSEX LEAGUE IN 1896, PARTICIPATING IN ITS SENIOR DIVISION FOR MORE THAN FIFTY YEARS. THIS ERA LAID THE FOUNDATION FOR ARUNDEL'S ENDURING PRESENCE IN LOCAL FOOTBALL. IN 1949, THE CLUB ADVANCED TO THE SUSSEX COUNTY LEAGUE (DIVISION ONE), SETTING THE STAGE FOR FUTURE ACHIEVEMENTS: GOLDEN ERA: BACK-TO-BACK SUSSEX COUNTY LEAGUE DIVISION ONE TITLES IN 1957–58 AND 1958–59, EACH SEASON MARKED BY THE TEAM SCORING OVER 100 GOALS; THIRD DIVISION ONE TITLE AND CHALLENGE CUP DOUBLE IN 1986–87; PROMOTIONS AS DIVISION TWO RUNNERS-UP IN 1966–67, 1976–77, 1983–84, AND AS CHAMPIONS/RUNNERS-UP IN 1999–2000; DIVISION TWO CUP WINNERS IN 1976–77; NOTABLE CUP VICTORIES, INCLUDING THE JOHN O'HARA LEAGUE CUP (2003–04) AND SUSSEX RUR CUP WINS (1968–69, 1972–73, 1978–79, 1979–80). NATIONALLY, ARUNDEL'S BEST FA CUP RUN SAW THEM REACH THE SECOND QUALIFYING ROUND SEVERAL TIMES, MOST NOTABLY IN THE LATE 1950S AND 1986–87. THEIR DEEPEST FA VASE JOURNEY WAS TO THE FOURTH ROUND IN 2002–03. IN 2015, THE SUSSEX COUNTY LEAGUE WAS REBRANDED AS THE SOUTHERN COMBINATION FOOTBALL LEAGUE, WITH ITS TOP DIVISION RENAMED THE PREMIER DIVISION. ARUNDEL INITIALLY COMPETED IN THIS DIVISION BEFORE BEING RELEGATED TO DIVISION ONE AT THE END OF THE 2018–19 SEASON. THE CLUB HAS REMAINED IN DIVISION ONE SINCE, DEMONSTRATING RESILIENCE THROUGH MID-TABLE FINISHES, AND DISRUPTIONS SUCH AS THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC, WHICH LED TO THE ABANDONMENT OF THE 2019–20 AND 2020–21 SEASONS. THE NICKNAME 'THE MULLETS' COMES FROM ARUNDEL'S HISTORIC ASSOCIATION WITH THE RIVER ARUN, FAMOUS FOR ITS ABUNDANT GREY MULLET FISH AND LOCAL RIVER BIRD. THIS TRADITION IS REFLECTED IN THE CLUB'S BADGE, WHICH OFTEN FEATURES A MULLET FISH/BIRD AND SYMBOLISES BOTH LOCAL PRIDE AND THE TOWN'S SCENIC RIVERSIDE SETTING. ARUNDEL FC'S HOME IS MILL ROAD, WIDELY REGARDED AS ONE OF THE MOST PICTURESQUE GROUNDS IN ENGLISH NON-LEAGUE FOOTBALL. THE CLUB IS INVOLVED IN FUNDRAISING THROUGH INITIATIVES SUCH AS THE 100 CLUB, FUNDRAISING NIGHTS, AND SPONSORSHIP. WE ALSO WORK WITH AND COLLABORATE WITH THE TOWN ON FESTIVAL EVENTS AND LOCAL FUNDRAISING TO SUPPORT THE COMMUNITY. THE CLUB HAS A PROJECT CALLED 'THE MEN'S SHED', WHICH OPENS A SPACE FOR LOCAL MEN TO SUPPORT EACH OTHER'S WELL-BEING AND MENTAL HEALTH. OVER ITS 135+ YEAR HISTORY, ARUNDEL FC EPITOMISES THE ENDURING SPIRIT OF ENGLISH NON- LEAGUE FOOTBALL.

12/09/26

LAST GAME VS TODAY'S OPPOSITION

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CLUB HISTORY

WORTHING UNITED FOOTBALL CLUB TRACES ITS ROOTS BACK TO WIGMORE ATHLETIC, WHO WERE FOUNDER MEMBERS OF DIVISION TWO OF THE SUSSEX COUNTY FOOTBALL LEAGUE IN 1952. SUCCESS CAME IMMEDIATELY AS THE CLUB WON THE DIVISION TWO TITLE IN ITS FIRST SEASON AND GAINED PROMOTION TO DIVISION ONE. OVER THE FOLLOWING DECADES, WIGMORE ESTABLISHED ITSELF WITHIN SUSSEX FOOTBALL, WINNING THE LEAGUE CUP IN 1959–60 AND MAKING ITS DEBUT IN THE FA CUP, WHILE ENJOYING SEVERAL PROMOTIONS AND RELEGATIONS BETWEEN THE COUNTY LEAGUE'S TOP TWO DIVISIONS.

THE CLUB'S STORY HAS ALWAYS BEEN SHAPED BY THE DEDICATION OF LOCAL PEOPLE AND FAMILIES. FEW HAVE HAD A GREATER INFLUENCE THAN THE ALBON FAMILY, WHOSE ASSOCIATION WITH THE CLUB SPANS GENERATIONS. ROBERT ALBON REPRESENTED THE CLUB AS A PLAYER AND TRAGICALLY LOST HIS LIFE WHILST PLAYING. IN RECOGNITION OF HIS MEMORY AND THE FAMILY'S OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTION TO WORTHING UNITED, THE CLUB'S HOME AT LYONS FARM BECAME THE ROBERT ALBON MEMORIAL GROUND. ROBERT'S FATHER, BOB ALBON, WAS AMONG THE FOUNDERS OF WORTHING UNITED FOLLOWING THE MERGER OF WIGMORE ATHLETIC AND SOUTHDOWN FC AND LATER SERVED WITH DISTINCTION AS CLUB PRESIDENT FOR MANY YEARS.

IN 1988, FOLLOWING RELEGATION FROM THE SUSSEX COUNTY LEAGUE, WIGMORE ATHLETIC MERGED WITH LOCAL SIDE SOUTHDOWN FC TO FORM WORTHING UNITED FOOTBALL CLUB. THE NEWLY FORMED CLUB QUICKLY REBUILT, WINNING PROMOTION FROM DIVISION THREE AND LATER RETURNING TO THE TOP TIER OF SUSSEX FOOTBALL. NOTABLE SUCCESSES INCLUDED PROMOTION UNDER DOMINIC DI PAOLA IN 2010–11 AND NIGEL GEARY'S LEAGUE AND CUP DOUBLE-WINNING SIDE OF 2014–15. THE FORMATION OF THE CLUB WAS DRIVEN BY DEDICATED VOLUNTEERS, INCLUDING BOB ALBON AND LEN KILLPARTRICK, WHOSE VISION AND COMMITMENT HELPED ESTABLISH THE FOUNDATIONS UPON WHICH WORTHING UNITED CONTINUES TO BUILD TODAY.

WORTHING UNITED HAS ALSO ENDURED MOMENTS OF PROFOUND SADNESS. IN 2015, THE CLUB WAS DEEPLY AFFECTED BY THE LOSS OF PLAYERS MATTHEW GRIMSTONE AND JACOB SCHILT IN THE SHOREHAM AIR CRASH. THE RESPONSE FROM THE FOOTBALL COMMUNITY AND THE CLUB'S SUPPORTERS DEMONSTRATED THE STRENGTH, RESILIENCE AND TOGETHERNESS THAT HAVE ALWAYS BEEN AT THE HEART OF WORTHING UNITED. IN THE IMMEDIATE AFTERMATH OF THE TRAGEDY, THE CLUB RETIRED MATTHEW'S NUMBER 1 SHIRT AND JACOB'S NUMBER 11 SHIRT. TO MARK THE TENTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE SHOREHAM AIR CRASH IN 2025, WORTHING UNITED PERMANENTLY RETIRED BOTH NUMBERS, ENSURING THAT THE MEMORY OF MATTHEW AND JACOB WILL FOREVER REMAIN PART OF THE CLUB'S HISTORY.

ANOTHER FIGURE WHOSE CONTRIBUTION HAS BEEN INSTRUMENTAL TO THE CLUB'S SUCCESS IS MARK SANDERSON. SINCE FIRST BECOMING INVOLVED AS A VOLUNTEER IN 1995, MARK HAS SERVED WORTHING UNITED IN NUMEROUS CAPACITIES AND DEDICATED COUNTLESS HOURS TO ITS DEVELOPMENT BOTH ON AND OFF THE PITCH. TODAY, HE CONTINUES TO PLAY A CENTRAL ROLE AS CHAIRMAN, SECRETARY AND GROUNDSMAN.

FROM ITS BEGINNINGS AS WIGMORE ATHLETIC TO THE PRESENT DAY, WORTHING UNITED HAS REMAINED A COMMUNITY CLUB BUILT ON HARD WORK, LOYALTY AND LOCAL PRIDE. THE FOUNDATIONS LAID BY THE CLUB'S FOUNDERS, THE DEDICATION OF VOLUNTEERS, AND THE COMMITMENT OF GENERATIONS OF PLAYERS, OFFICIALS AND SUPPORTERS HAVE CREATED A CLUB THAT CONTINUES TO THRIVE WHILE HONOURING THE LEGACY OF THOSE WHO HELPED MAKE IT WHAT IT IS TODAY. LEN CONTINUES TO SERVE THE CLUB AS PRESIDENT, PROVIDING AN ENDURING LINK BETWEEN WORTHING UNITED'S FORMATION AND ITS FUTURE.

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, COMMITTEE MEMBER
- JAMIE SANDERSON – ASSISTANT SECRETARY, SOCIAL MEDIA MANAGER, COMMITTEE MEMBER
- ELLIE SANDERSON – CLUB WELFARE OFFICER, TREASURER, COMMITTEE MEMBER
- GRAHAM HILL – COMMITTEE MEMBER
- IAN HALL-SMITH – COMMITTEE MEMBER
- BRIAN HUNDLEY – COMMITTEE MEMBER
- KIERAN LE MANQUAIS – COMMITTEE MEMBER, PROGRAMME EDITOR
- NIGEL YOUNGER – STADIUM MANAGER
- RICHARD CATLIN – CATERING MANAGER

TEAMSHEETS



WORTHING UNITED		ARUNDEL FC
B. Abbott (GK)		J. Fernandes
J. Younger		G. Lams
A. Younger		D. Walsh
T. Butler		S. Pearson
E. Davey		S. Herbert
L. Sa Castro		Z. Bignell
J. Pittam		J. Dudas
K. Tanev		O. Humphries
D. Sherwood		O. Claydon
D. Kingston		L. Hamilton
D. Nagle		D. Williams
M. Puddephatt		D. Brown
L. Appleton		H. Mott
A. Kamil		J. Ebling
D. Hills		L. Fenlon
J. Sadler		C. Stobart

MANAGER
MARK CURRAM &
GLENN SOUTER

MANAGER
JOSS PARSONS

MATCH OFFICIALS

THOMAS WEBB, PAUL ROWE, THEO PRODGER

TEAMSHEETS SUBJECT TO CHANGE



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