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EPSOM & EWELL
VS
KNAPHILL

Friday 5th September 2025
Kick-off 7:45PM

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Epsom & Ewell Football Club

established 1918

The Reg Madgwick Stadium, Leg o Mutton,
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FIRST TEAM HONOURS

Isthmian League Division Two
Champions: 1977-78
London League
Champions: 1927-28
Surrey Senior League
Champions: 1925-26, 1926-27, 1974-75
Southern Suburban League
Champions: 1923-24
Sutton and District League (as Epsom Town)
Champions: 1922-23
Combined Counties Premier Challenge Cup
Winners: 2012-2013
National Division One South (Ladies)
Champions: 1993-94
Dave Wilson Trophy (ESHC)
Winners: 2008
Surrey Senior Cup
Winners: 1980-81
Southern Combination Cup
Winners: 1979-80, 2024-25
Corinthian League Memorial Shield
Winners: 1959-60
Surrey Senior League Cup
Winners: 1973-74, 1974-75
Surrey Senior Shield
Winners: 1932-33, 1954-55
Surrey Senior League Charity Cup
Winners: 1926-27

From the Clubhouse



We welcome Gary and his team, their supporters and committee to another Friday night encounter.

Many of our supporters have expressed a liking to this experience and we will do our utmost to continue some occasional ones once we move into Chalky Lane.

As you will be aware, our first home game there should be on Saturday 11th October against Thatcham. Our agreement with Chessington & Hook is for three years, with an option to extend.



Our FA exploits have been a joy to watch. The spirit shown by the lads has been nothing short of fantastic.

A BIG shout out for your support especially the young ones behind the goal; you're certainly creating an atmosphere we have not had for many years.

So far, our FA success has netted the club a minimum of £7,069, but there is a confidence in the camp that we will be difficult for our next opponent, Eastbourne Borough.

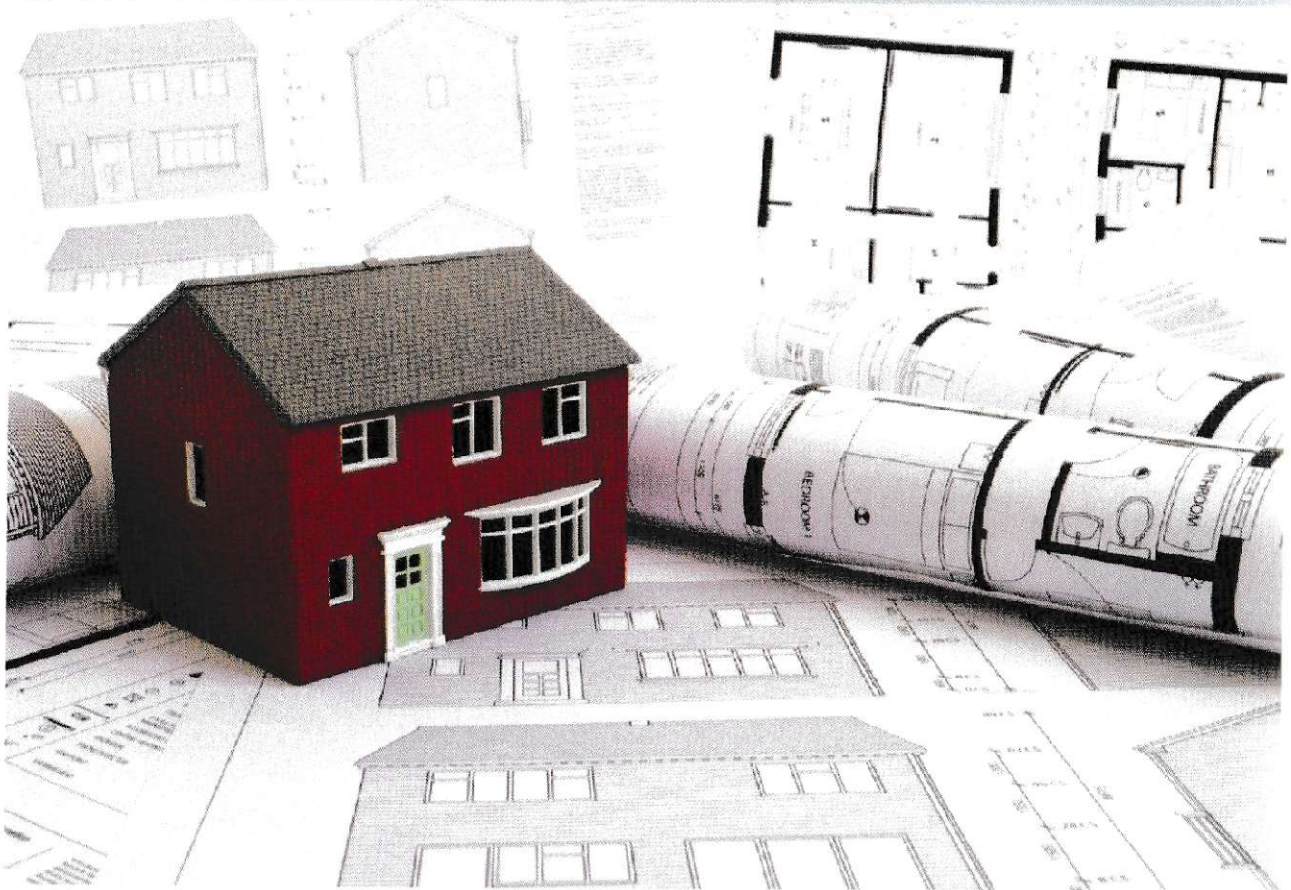
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Enjoy the game!



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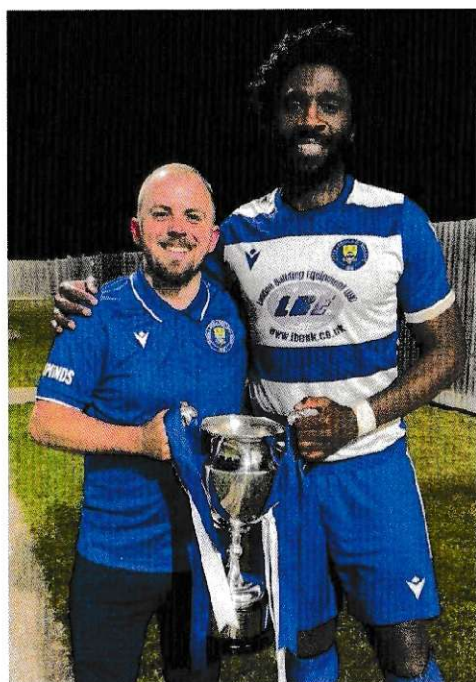
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From the Bench



Firstly, I'd like to thank everyone who came to support us against Risborough in the FA Cup qualifying round—especially the kids behind the goal for creating such a great atmosphere. To come through the game 2-1 against a very good side, who like to move the ball around and cause problems with their wingers and their top striker, Elliott Buchanan, was a big achievement. I felt we dealt with them very well.

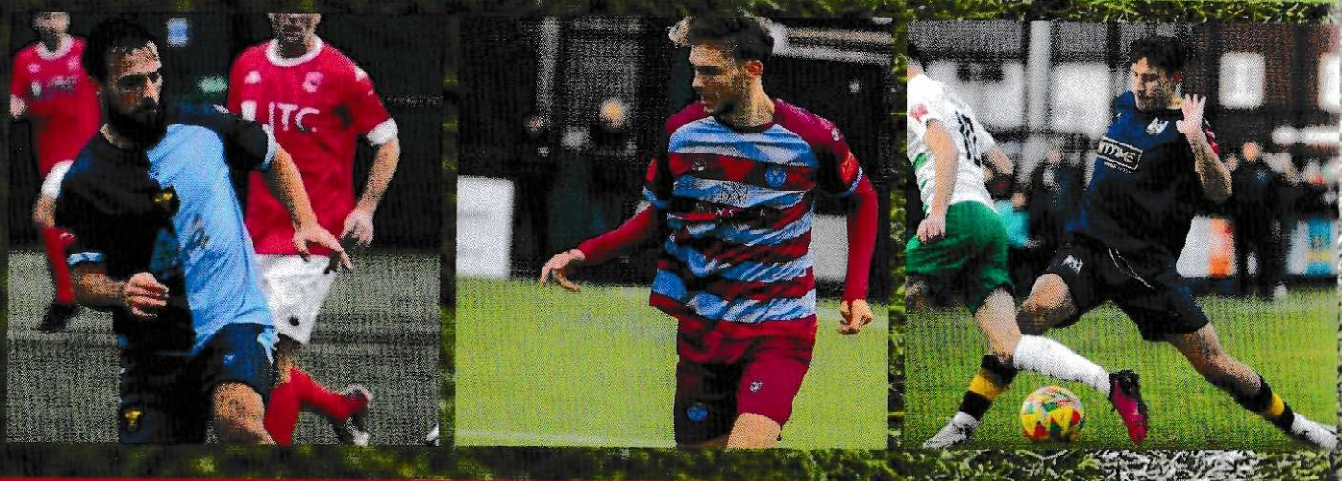
We made a change of formation to try something different and see if we could exploit areas down the wings, which in the first half worked particularly well. We couldn't make the most of it, but with a better final ball we could have created a lot more chances. That said, I thought we kept the ball really well, showed real patience, and defended just as strongly as we have from the start of the season.

In the end, we won through a penalty and a set-piece goal, which is massive in these tight games where fine margins make the difference. We came through with flying colours.

Now onto the draw—this is the furthest the club has been in 25 years. We've been drawn away to Eastbourne Borough, which is a great tie against a team three leagues above us. Of course, we'd have preferred a home draw, but we can't complain. Eastbourne haven't had the best start to the season, but that counts for nothing in the FA Cup.

There's also a bit of a backstory for me, going up against Matt Gray, who I worked closely with during my time at Sutton through the Covid season. We went on to win the National League and then had three seasons in League Two—just missing out on the play-offs but reaching the Papa John's Trophy Final at Wembley. Matt also gave me my league debut, so I know him really well. To go up against him in my first year of management is both unexpected and unbelievable. It should be a fantastic occasion, though a big challenge on the pitch. We'll go there with confidence, as we've been doing well this season and always set out to win every game.

Looking ahead to Friday night's match against Knaphill, we head into it without any new injuries. Jason, Tom, and Ali remain on the injury list, but everyone else is fit. Knaphill are a very young side who've had mixed results, but they beat Horley Town 2-1 on Tuesday, so it certainly won't be an easy task. Last season we lost 5-3 in one game against them and edged a very tight 2-1 in the other, so we know what to expect and we'll prepare accordingly.



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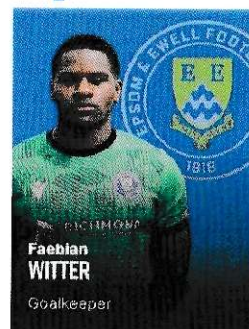
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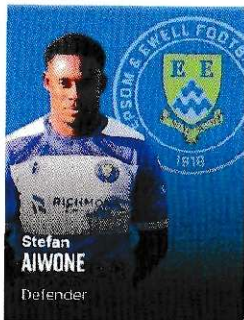


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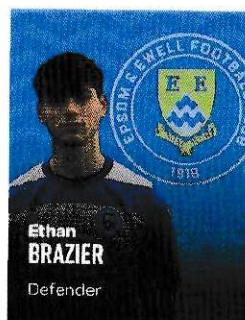


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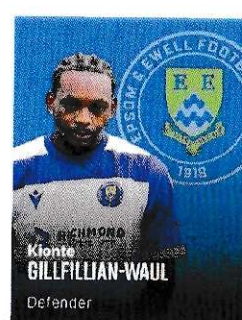
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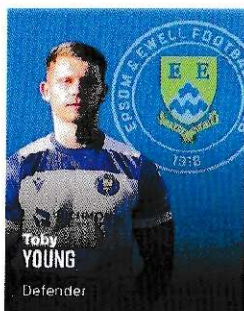
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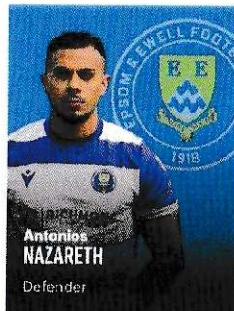
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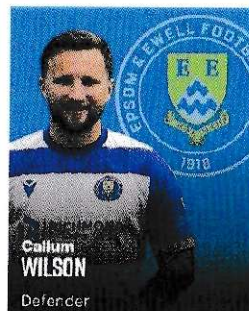
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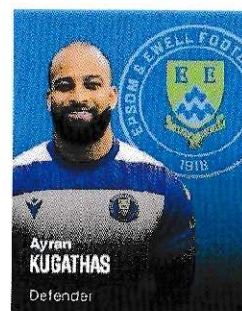
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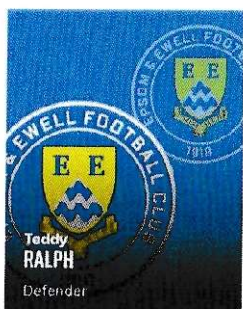
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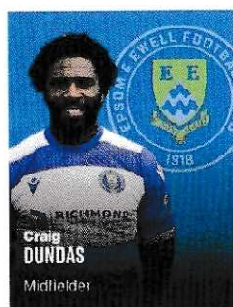


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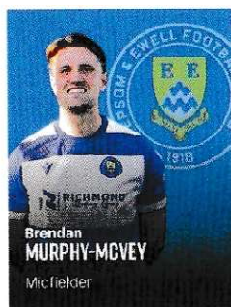
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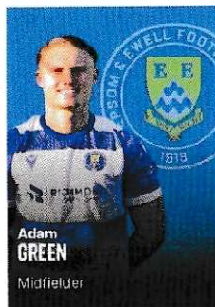
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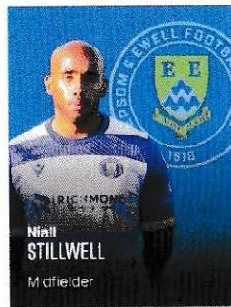
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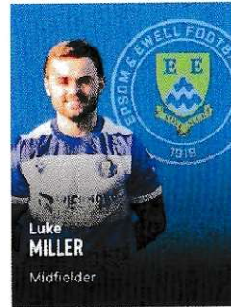
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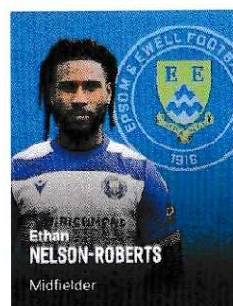
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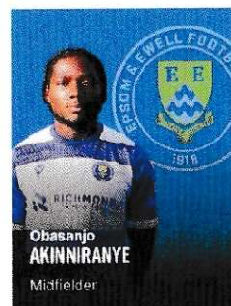
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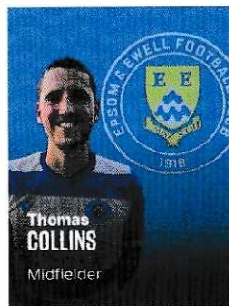
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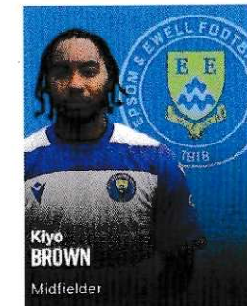
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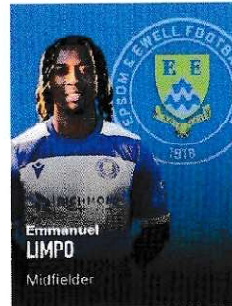
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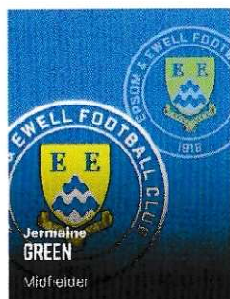
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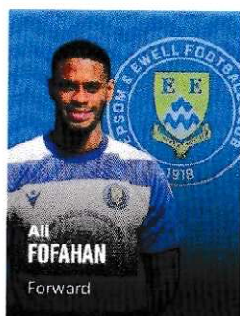
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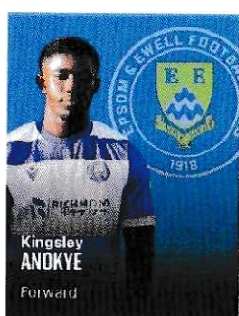
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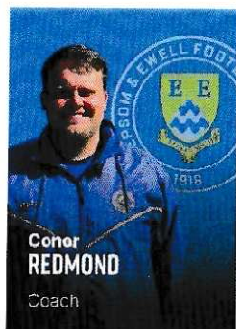


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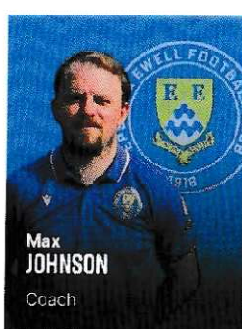


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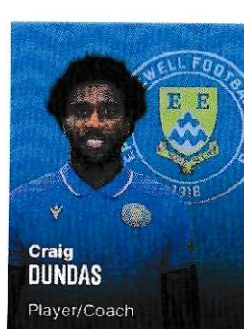
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KT15 2QH
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Thatcham Town
The Mettal Stadium
RG19 4PA
2024-25 ISTH1SS 20th
thatchamtownfootball.club



Alton FC
Anstey Park
GU34 2NB
2023-24 CCLPS 7th
altonfc.com



Balham FC
Imperial Fields
SM4 6BF
2023-24 CCLPS 9th
balhamfc.com



Camberley Town
Krooner Park
GU15 2QW
2024-25 CCLPS 16th
camberleytownfc.co.uk



Chipstead FC
High Road
CR5 3SF
2024-25 CCPLS 17th
chipsteadfc.com



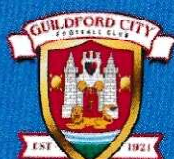
Cobham FC
Downside Bridge Rd
KT11 3EP
2024-25 CCLPS 4th
cobhamfootballclub.com



Corinthian-Casuals
King George's Field
KT6 7NA
2024-25 CCPLS 13th
corinthian-casuals.com



Fleet Town FC
Calthorpe Park
GU51 5FA
2024-25 CCLPS 5th
fleettownfc.co.uk



Guildford City FC
Spectrum Ground
GU1 1UP
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Horley Town FC
New Defence
RH6 8SP
2024-25 CCLPS 9th
horleytownfc.com



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Rovers**
War Memorial Sports GD
SM5 2PW
2024-25 ISTH1SC 21st
suttoncommonrovers.com

Founded in 1922 as the London & District Combination Football League, and renamed the Combined Counties Football League in 1978, the 2024-25 Cherry Red Combined CCL season will be the 47th in the history of the league. The league consists of four divisions for the second time, with a new Division Two being added to the Premier North, the Premier South and Division One. Division Two is intended largely for reserve and U23 sides, although it is also open to first teams.

CCL Premier Division South



Season 2025-26 Club Directory



Knaphill FC

Redding Way

GU21 2AY

2024-25 CCLPS 7th

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Redhill FC

Kiln Brow

RH1 5AE

2024-25 CCLPS 3rd

redhillfc.com



Badshot Lea

Operatix Community

GU10 4PF

2024-25 ISTH1SC 22nd

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Sheerwater FC

Albert Drive

GU21 5RF

2024-25 CCLPS 14th

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Eversley & California

Fox Lane

RG27 0NS

2024-25 CCLD1 4th

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Tadley Calleva

Barlows Park

RG26 3PX

2024-25 CCLPS 6th

tadleycalleva.com



Tooting & Mitcham

Imperial Fields

SM4 6BF

2024-25 CCLPS 8th

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Recent results



Tuesday 2nd September 2025

FI	Alton (0)	2	2	(1) Sheerwater	176
	Macollister (74'), Poynter (78')			York (24'), Burton (90+8')	
FI	Camberley Town (2)	2	3	(1) Balham	
	Qoloni (33'), Hoppitt (45')			Meadows (45+2'), Anderson (79' pen), Gavilanes (90+2')	
FT	Corinthian-Casuals (0)	0	2	(0) Tooting & Mitcham United	303
				Oldham (64', 70')	
FT	Eversley & California (0)	0	1	(0) Thatcham Town	
				Winchcombe (49')	
FT	Horley Town (0)	1	2	(1) Knaphill	
	Acquaye (84')			Sweeney (25'), Cheek (57')	

Saturday 30th August 2025

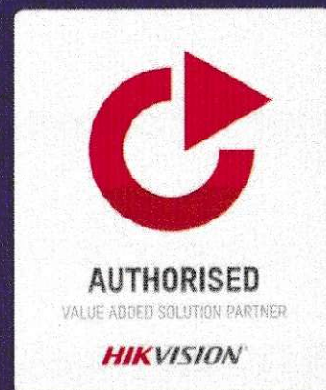
FI	Badshot Lea (2)	5	3	(3) Eversley & California	127
	Pask (5'), Hamblin (40', 87'), Hakeem-Habeb (70'), Jamieson (89')			Noyes (15'), Paxford (32', 42')	
FI	Corinthian-Casuals (0)	1	1	(1) Balham	225
	Meadows (55' og)			Meadows (2')	
FI	Fleet Town (1)	3	0	(0) Chipstead	203
	Bartlett (33'), Postance (81' pen, 89')				
FI	Guildford City (0)	1	2	(1) Redhill	100
	Jon-Peter (90+10' pen)			Talboys (37'), Obisanya (67')	
FT	Horley Town (0)	0	1	(0) Thatcham Town	
				Denner (79')	
FT	Sheerwater (0)	0	1	(0) Sutton Common Rovers	
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Player Stats



GOALKEEPERS	Conceded	Clean Sheets	Per 90 mins
Faebian Witter	4	2	0.71

DEFENDERS	Goals Conceded	Clean Sheets	Per 90 mins
Stefan Alwone	4	1	0.85
Luis Oliveira	6	2	1.00
Toby Young	6	1	1.07
Antonios Nazareth	4	1	1.07
Ethan Nelson-Roberts	5	1	1.28

MIDFIELDERS	Team Conceded	Team Goals	Goals Conceded per 90 Mins	Goals Scored per 90 Mins	Net per 90 mins
Emmanuel Limpo	2	9	0.69	3.12	2.42
Niall Stillwell	4	11	0.98	2.70	1.72
Kionte Gillfillian-Waul	3	9	0.82	2.45	1.64
Adam Green	7	16	1.00	2.29	1.29
Brendan Murphy-McVey	4	8	1.12	2.24	1.12

FORWARDS	Team Goals	Per 90 mins
Kingsley Anokye	16	2.29
Luke Miller	13	2.18

**Minimum 200 minutes played*

Player Stats



ALL GOALSCORERS	Goals Scored	Mins per Goal
Kingsley Anokye	5	126
Ali Fofahan	1	154
Adam Green	4	158
Luke Miller	2	269
Brendan Murphy-McVey	1	321
Niall Stillwell	1	366
Stefan Aiwone	1	424
Toby Young	1	504

CAUTIONS	Yellow	Red	Mins per caution
Brendan Murphy-McVey	1	0	321
Kionte Gillfillian-Waul	1	0	330
Niall Stillwell	2	0	183
Stefan Aiwone	2	0	212
Toby Young	1	1	252
Faebian Witter	1	1	255
Luke Miller	2	0	269
Adam Green	1	0	630





















TEAM "PTS" PER GAME	Pts	Mins Pld
Emmanuel Limpo	3.00	260
Stefan Aiwone	2.50	424
Faebian Witter	2.40	509
Kionte Gillfillian-Waul	2.33	330
Brendan Murphy-McVey	2.33	321
Adam Green	2.29	630
Kingsley Anokye	2.29	630
Antonios Nazareth	2.25	336
Luis Oliveira	2.17	540
Toby Young	2.17	504
Luke Miller	2.00	537
Niall Stillwell	2.00	366
Ethan Nelson-Roberts	2.00	352

* Minimum 200 minutes played except Goalscorers

*Clean Sheets & Average Pts for games >69 minutes played

CCL Premier Division South



		Home				Away				Total							Pts
		P	W	D	L	P	W	D	L	P	W	D	L	F	A	+/-	
	1 Abbey Rangers	4	3	0	1	1	1	0	0	5	4	0	1	9	8	+1	12
	2 Redhill	1	1	0	0	4	2	0	2	5	3	0	2	13	7	+6	9
	3 Fleet Town	3	2	0	1	3	1	0	2	6	3	0	3	11	7	+4	9
	4 Badshot Lea	4	2	1	1	2	0	2	0	6	2	3	1	16	13	+3	9
	5 Alton	3	1	2	0	2	1	0	1	5	2	2	1	12	10	+2	8
	6 Balham	1	0	1	0	4	2	1	1	5	2	2	1	9	8	+1	8
	7 Sutton Common Rovers	1	1	0	0	4	1	2	1	5	2	2	1	6	6	0	8
	8 Tooting & Mitcham United	3	1	1	1	2	1	1	0	5	2	2	1	6	7	-1	8
	9 Corinthian-Casuals	3	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	6	2	2	2	6	8	-2	8
	10 Sheerwater	2	0	0	2	3	2	1	0	5	2	1	2	9	10	-1	7
	11 Thatcham Town	2	0	1	1	3	2	0	1	5	2	1	2	4	5	-1	7
	12 Cobham	2	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	3	2	0	1	10	4	+6	6
	13 Epsom & Ewell	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	3	2	0	1	7	3	+4	6
	14 Horley Town	5	2	0	3	0	0	0	0	5	2	0	3	10	8	+2	6
	15 Knaphill	2	0	0	2	2	2	0	0	4	2	0	2	8	8	0	6
	16 Camberley Town	2	0	1	1	4	1	1	2	6	1	2	3	5	7	-2	5
	17 Eversley & California	4	0	2	2	3	1	0	2	7	1	2	4	9	15	-6	5
	18 Chipstead	3	1	1	1	3	0	1	2	6	1	2	3	7	15	-8	5
	19 Guildford City	1	0	0	1	4	1	1	2	5	1	1	3	7	13	-6	4
	20 Tadley Calleva	2	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	3	1	0	2	4	6	-2	3

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Round up from the Combined Counties League

FA Cup First Qualifying round

After our very late winner in the 95th minute against Risborough Rangers we are joined in the second qualifying round by Tadley Calleva who had an excellent win against Weymouth in front of the BBC 'I' player cameras - well done to them. Both Cobham who face a tough game away at Deal and Knaphill who lost at home to Hackney Wick so hard luck to our fellow Combined Counties South who fell at this stage of the competition.

Again spare a thought for Sherwood Colliery who lost to Quorn 8-0 - Quorn play in the Southern League Premier Division (Central) League.

League round up

Whilst we were in action in the FA Cup there were 6 matches in our league, the stand out result was Badshot Leas 5-3 victory over Eversley and California. Fleet Town appear to be 'hitting their straps' with a fine 3-0 home victory over Chipstead. Other victories were recorded by Redhill, Sutton Common Rovers and bottom of the table Thatcham Town. Bottom of the table are Tadley Calleva on 3 points. We now lie in 9th place but have only played 3 games along with 3 other teams, so plenty to catch up with.

Our new Landlords (Chessington and Hook) are not having a good time at the moment after a 1-0 loss to Greenways and lie second from bottom. I should mention that after our loss to Corinthian Casuals, a good number of our first team travelled to 'Chalky Lane' to watch 'Chessy' in a local derby against Banstead Athletic to try and show them some support from our club - Well done boys, we know that 'Chessy' appreciated that very much.

Further up the league pyramid and looking at a former Landlord of ours Leatherhead have had a fine start to the season and consolidated their top spot with a good 2-0 victory away at Bognor Regis Town.

There were 5 matches in our league on Tuesday evening. Alton were looking like they might grab second spot until Sheerwater scored in injury time to make it a draw at 2-2. A large crowd of just over 300 saw Tooting & Mitcham beat Corinthian Casuals 2-0 away at St George's Field. Our opponents tonight, Knaphill had a fine away win at Horley Town, 2-1 and Thatcham Town carried on their recent good run by winning at Eversley and California. Camberley Town led twice at home to Balham, but the visitors scored a stoppage time winner from long range to win it 3-2.

There is one game on Wednesday evening which will beat our publishing deadline when Sutton Common Rovers visit Guildford City, if the visitors win they will secure second place alone on 11 points.

Women's Fixtures & Results

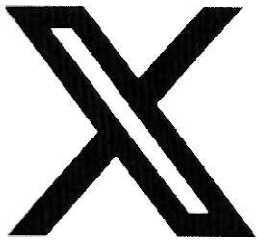


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Sun 7 Sep	Richmond & Kew	FAC1QR	2.00pm	
Sun 14 Sep	Sutton United Reserves	SPD	4.00pm	
Sun 28 Sep	Carshalton Athletic	SPD	4.00pm	
OCTOBER				
Sun 5 Oct	Oxted & District	SPD	4.00pm	
Sun 26 Oct	Croydon	SPD	4.00pm	
NOVEMBER				
Sun 2 Nov	Walton & Hersham	SPD	4.00pm	

HOME matches in blue

SPD = Surrey Premier Division, FAC = FA Cup

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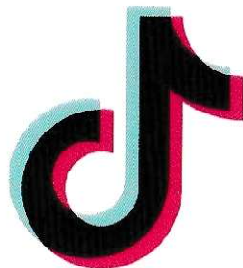
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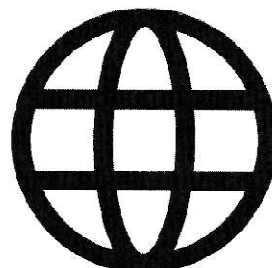
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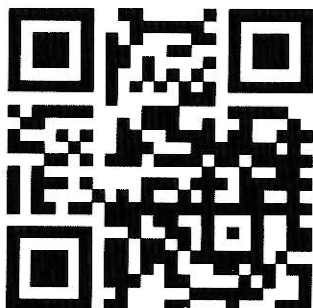
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Epsom & Ewell in the FA Cup



As we look ahead to our 2nd qualifying round tie away at Eastbourne Borough, a look back on our two previous best FA Cup seasons.

1933–34: A Historic Journey Into the First Round Proper

In the 1933–34 season, then known as Epsom Town, the club embarked on a remarkable FA Cup run—still celebrated as one of its proudest achievements.

Climactic Qualifying Rounds

- Preliminary Round: Epsom Town faced Woking, an established Isthmian League side. The initial encounter ended in a 1–1 stalemate, but in a replay that also remained tight at 2–2 after 90 minutes, Epsom pulled away in extra time to triumph 5–2.
- Second Qualifying Round: Upsetting Nunhead—another Isthmian opponent known for earlier associations with deeper FA Cup runs—Epsom dispatched them 3.
- Third Qualifying Round: Against Beddington Corner from the Surrey Senior League, Epsom edged through 4–2, setting a new club milestone by reaching the Third Qualifying Round for the first time..
- Fourth Qualifying Round: Epsom's next victims were Leytonstone, yet again from the Isthmian League—from a league above. Epsom clinched a 3–1 win and earned a place in the First Round Proper, a first in the club's history.

First Round Proper: A Day at Lea Bridge

On 25 November 1933, Epsom Town faced Clapton Orient (now Leyton Orient) at the Lea Bridge Speedway Stadium, watched by an impressive crowd of 9,485—a staggering turnout for a club of its size. The result, however, was a tough one: a 4–2 defeat, bringing an end to the dream Cup run—but the memory remained monumental in the club's history.

1980–81: Another Brush With the Proper Round

Fast-forward nearly half a century: the 1980–81 FA Cup witnessed Epsom & Ewell making yet another valiant push—this time taking them to the Fourth Qualifying Round, narrowly shy of the First Round Proper

The Road Through Qualifying

- Early triumphs saw Epsom & Ewell down Eastbourne Town, Margate, and Ashford Town (Kent).
- By the Third Qualifying Round, they had already achieved their best since 1933.

Fourth Qualifying Round: The End of the Line

But in the Fourth Qualifying Round, Epsom & Ewell's journey was halted in a heavy 5–0 defeat by Enfield, who would go on to join the First Round Proper. This emphatic loss punctuated their deepest modern FA Cup progression until then—still noteworthy in the broader sweep of the club's FA Cup history.

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Welcome to Knaphill



Founding and Early Years (1924–1930s)

Founded in 1924, Knaphill Football Club began life playing at Waterer's Park in Knaphill. This recreation ground was originally part of a nursery estate known as Blue Gates Field, bequeathed to Woking Urban District Council by Anthony Waterer, and laid out as a public space between 1924 and 1928. The club made its mark early, winning the Surrey County Intermediate League (Western) title in 1935–36.

Growth and Local Success (1970s–1980s)

By the 1970s, Knaphill were competing in the Woking & District League. They captured the Charity Cup in the 1972–73 season, then struck gold with a sensational treble of the Premier Division, League Cup, and Charity Cup in 1978–79. The momentum continued into 1979–80, retaining both the League Cup and Charity Cup and adding the Challenge Cup to their trophy haul.

In the early 1980s, the club re-entered the Surrey County Intermediate League (Western), starting in Division Three. They earned promotion by winning that division in their first season back (1980–81), then again finished as runner-up in Premier Division Two (1981–82), securing a third successive promotion. The following season saw them finish as runners-up in Premier Division One.

Resurgence and Promotions (2000s–2010s)

The mid-2000s marked a new chapter. In the 2005–06 season, Knaphill claimed the Surrey County Intermediate League Division One title, earning promotion to the Premier Division. They continued their ascent by becoming Premier Division champions in 2006–07, which led to entry into Division One of the Combined Counties League.

In a significant move during the 2004–05 season, the first team relocated from Waterer's Park to their current home at Redding Way. This ground, provided by developers of the Brookwood Manor housing development on land owned by Woking Borough Council, has since become one of the finest in the area. Waterer's Park continues to serve as a venue for reserve fixtures.

The new ground was steadily developed: floodlights were installed in 2011, followed by two 50-seat stands and a covered terrace added in 2015.

Knaphill's performances in the Combined Counties League were strong and consistent. In 2013–14, a third-place finish in Division One secured promotion to the Premier Division. Their upward trajectory continued with a memorable success in the 2017–18 season, capturing the Combined Counties League Premier Challenge Cup with a 3–2 final victory over Worcester Park.

Recent Highlights and Records (2020s)

The 2015–16 season stands out as Knaphill's best FA Vase run, reaching the Fourth Round. In the FA Cup, the club's best performance has been reaching the Second Qualifying Round, achieved in both 2017–18 and 2023–24.

Welcome to Knaphill



The 2023–24 season culminated in a thrilling title chase. Knaphill finished third in the Combined Counties League Premier Division South, earning a place in the promotion play-offs. After a 2–0 semi-final victory over Tadley Calleva, they narrowly missed out on promotion with a 2–1 defeat to AFC Croydon Athletic in the final. That final also produced Knaphill's record attendance to date: 872 spectators.

Achievements & Honours at a Glance

- Surrey Intermediate League (Western)
 - Champions: 1935–36, 2007–08
 - Division One Champions: 2006–07
 - Division Three Champions: 1980–81
- Woking & District League
 - Premier Division Champions: 1978–79
 - League Cup Winners: 1978–79, 1979–80
 - Charity Cup Winners: 1972–73, 1978–79, 1979–80
 - Challenge Cup Winners: 1979–80
- Combined Counties League
 - Premier Challenge Cup Winners: 2017–18
- Cup Records & Attendance
 - Best FA Vase: Fourth Round (2015–16)
 - Best FA Cup: Second Qualifying Round (2017–18, 2023–24)
 - Record Attendance: 872 vs AFC Croydon Athletic (Promotion Play-off Final, 2024)
 - Biggest Win: 15–1 vs Hale

From its modest beginnings in 1924 at Waterer's Park to its growth into a respected semi-professional club at Redding Way, Knaphill Football Club embodies the spirit of community football. The club has seen fluctuating fortunes—local league glory in the 1970s, steady ascent through promotions in the 2000s, and cup success in recent years. Along the way, the club has steadily improved its infrastructure, gaining a modern home ground with proper floodlighting and seating.

Knaphill's story is one of determination, local pride, and steady progression. With a passionate fanbase and strong youth links, the club continues to build its legacy while looking forward to its next milestone.

Match report v Risborough Rangers



Epsom & Ewell 2

Risborough Rangers 1

FA Cup 1st Qualifying Round

Saturday 30th August 2025

Scorers- Green 57 pen, Aiwone 90+5

Epsom & Ewell reached the 2nd Qualifying Round of the Emirates FA Cup for the first time in 25 years, beating Risborough Rangers 2-1 thanks to a dramatic last-minute winner from centre-half Stefan Aiwone, in front of a crowd of 79.



With Max Johnson serving a one-match ground ban, Craig Dundas took charge, assisted by Chris Farnan and Conor Redmond. Two changes were made from Monday's line-up, with Stefan and Kionte Gillfillan-Waul replacing Jermaine Green and Ali Fofahan.

The game began slowly, though Kionte's early run gave Ethan Nelson-Roberts a chance in the 1st minute, but his effort went over. Rangers responded with a header from Keano Robinson, also too high. On the half hour, Manny Williams had the ball in the net after chipping Faebian Witter, but was flagged offside.

We looked threatening from a 37th-minute corner when Stefan's header went just wide, while Rangers finished the half stronger. A dangerous cross in stoppage time found Andrei Chiriac, but his effort was blocked and dribbled harmlessly to Witter.

The second half began much the same until Luis chased down a ball on 55 minutes, weaving into the box before being brought down. Adam Green converted the penalty to give the Salts the lead. Rangers pressed hard, Robinson firing high and Chiriac forcing Witter into a sharp save. Their equaliser came on 70 minutes, Robinson heading home powerfully at the back post after we failed to clear a corner.

Risborough looked the likelier side to win, with captain Buchanan driving them forward. Dundas introduced himself and Emmanuel Limpo to steady things. In the 83rd minute Adam Green tested Bridle-Card from distance, and Luke Miller also went close after intercepting a poor clearance, but both efforts were saved. Substitutes Obasanjo Akinniranye and Kiyo Brown were then introduced as the game seemed destined for a replay.

Deep into stoppage time, we forced a corner. Luke Miller, whose earlier deliveries had been disappointing, sent in a perfect ball to the far post. The keeper missed it, and Stefan bundled the ball over the line to spark wild celebrations — including a pitch invasion by the bench.

Callum Wilson came on to help see out the game on his 50th appearance, and the Salts comfortably dealt with the final long ball before the whistle blew. Epsom & Ewell fans, who had sung all afternoon, roared with joy as mascots joined the celebrations on the pitch.

We now await Monday's draw for the 2nd Qualifying Round, when Step 2 clubs enter. A home tie would be ideal, and a meeting with local side Dorking Wanderers would be especially welcome. Fixtures will be played the weekend of 13th September.



Epsom and Ewell 2 - 1 Risborough Rangers



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The length of any ban imposed will be related to the severity of the offence and solely at the discretion of the Club. Any appeal may be made in writing through the Club Secretary and will be given full and due consideration.

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Today's teams



Epsom & Ewell

(Blue and White)

Fabian Witter (GK)
Ben Grummitt (GK)
Luis Olivera
Ryan-Bailey Steadman-Hoyte
Ethan Nelson-Roberts
Stefan Aiwone
Toby Young
Callum Wilson
Antonios Nazareth
Ayran Kugathas
Connor McShane
Conrad Essilfie-Conduah
Teddy Ralph
Andrew Herring
Kionte Gillfillian-Waul
Tom Collins
Obasanjo Akinniranye
Adam Green (Capt)
Craig Dundas
Emmanuel Limpo
Luke Miller
Brendan Murphy-McVey
Niall Stilwell
Kingsley Anokye
Jermaine Green
Ali Fofahan
Jack Torbett

Player/JT Manager: Craig Dundas

JT Manager: Max Johnson

Coaches: Chris Farnan, Conor Redmond

GK Coach: Kevin Espinosa

Physio: Jodie Davis



Knaphill

(All Red)

Harvey Keogh (GK)
Rami Halloufi
James Glover
Max Lohmeier
Michak Stanic-Stewart
Dale Burnham
Lynford Sackey
Jack Baisden
Ross Murdoch
Olly Woolgar
Tom Harland-Goddard
Sid Cannon
Maurice Black
Rayjon Moore
Jack Carrod
Jack Phillips
Aidan King
Ben Mitchell
Ross Cheek
Danny Taylor
Joseph Apeni
Ben Crowther
Tom Wensley
Elijah Hopwood
Dom Green

Manager: Mike Woolgar

Assistant: Daryl Cooper-Smith

Coaches: Ricky Mallett & Glen Nichols

Physio: Becca Cross

Next Home Game

v Ashford Town Middx

Tuesday 16th September 7.45PM



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