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FIRST TEAM

Southern Combination Division One

Runners up 1995

Southern Combination Division Two

Winners 1993

Southern Combination Division Two Cup

Runners up 1988, 1991

Sussex Intermediate Cup

Winners 1975

Montgomery Challenge Cup

Winners 1960

Mowatt Challenge Cup

Winners 1928

UNDER 23 TEAM

Southern Combination Under 23 West Division

Runners up 2018, 2019

UNDER 18 TEAM

Southern Combination Under 18 Championship

Winners 2002, 2018

Runners up 2014

Southern Combination Under 18 Central

Winners 1999, 2002, 2006, 2014, 2018

Runners up 2008, 2013, 2015, 2019

Southern Combination Under 18 Cup

Winners 2001, 2008, 2009, 2018

Runners up 2002, 2014, 2015

Sussex County FA Under 18 Cup

Winners 2002

VETERANS TEAM

Fred Pretty Veterans Cup

Winners 1995, 1996, 2002, 2009, 2010, 2013, 2016

Runners up

2017

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Welcome to the Beacon

Good morning and welcome to the Beacon for our final Southern Combination League Premier Division home game of the 2021-22 season

We welcome our friends from Crawley Down Gatwick and hope that their players, management officials and supporters enjoy their time with us on this Easter Bank Holiday Monday.

The Anvils are of course familiar opponents to us, with this being the fourth meeting of the season between the sides.

Hassocks lead the head-to-head with two wins out of three, following Down's victory in the Sussex Senior Cup tie played here in October.

Both sides will be aiming for three points in an attempt to finish as high up the table as possible, and that should hopefully lead to an entertaining clash in keeping with a fixture which has provided plenty of goals and drama through the years.

After an outstanding March in which we picked up some very impressive results, April so far has been a little harder going.

FA Vase finalists Littlehampton Town ran out 6-2 winners in our most recent home fixture. Although playing quality opposition, we made the sort of individual mistakes that a side like Littlehampton will ruthlessly expose on our way to a heavy defeat.

Things were much improved on Saturday against Steyning Town. Were it not for an outstanding performance from home goalkeeper Stefanos Akras, then we would have made the short journey back from the Shooting Field with all three points.

You can read a match report from that game in today's programme, a horrific hangover from too many San Miguel's in the sunshine at Steyning not proving enough to prevent a quick turnaround time!

Away from first team matters and the Veterans are into the semi finals of the Fred Pretty Plate after beating Sidley United 4-1 on Monday night.

Paul Armstrong, Robert Sayers, David Juniper and Elliott Butler got the goals as a strong side were victorious.

As has been the case for much of the Veterans season so far, we do not yet have a confirmed date for the big semi. If you would like to support the Vets in it, then please keep an eye on our social media channels and website for updates.

The Ladies had an excellent 8-0 win over Eastbourne Town in their last outing. Katherine Chappell netted a hat-trick to continue her hot streak

of form and there were braces for Jess Craig and Jodie Johanson. Liz King rounded off the scoring.

Their next game takes place at the Beacon on Sunday and it is a double header against Seaford Town, meaning you get 120 minutes of football instead of 90.

That is then followed by a League Cup semi final against the same opponents on Sunday 15th May, here at the Beacon. Any support you can give will be greatly appreciated.

Our final men's first team match of the campaign takes place next Tuesday 23rd April. It is a huge one too as we welcome Littlehampton in what will be only the fifth senior competition semi final in Hassocks history.

It will take a monumental effort to overcome the best team in the Southern Combination League and so your support will be vital as Brad and the players attempt to rewrite the record books by becoming the first Robins to ever make it to a final.

Enjoy the game - and thanks for your continued support.

Owen & Scott



Today's visitors...



Crawley Down Gatwick

Founded 1993

Nickname Anvils

Ground The Haven

Website

crawleydowngatwickfc.co.uk

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Manager James Day

Top Scorer Charlie Pitcher, 32

HONOURS

Southern Combination League

Winners 2011

SCFL Division One

Runners up 2016

SCFL Division Two

Runners up 1996

Peter Bentley League Cup

Runners up 2010

Sussex RUR Charity Cup

Winners 2011

Runners up 2017

Sussex Senior Cup

Runners up 2012

Mid Sussex League

Winners 1995

For the fourth time this season, it is Hassocks against Crawley Down Gatwick. Familiar foes we might be for several reasons, but that has not managed to stop every game so far being packed with entertainment...

This is a fixture that historically has a well-earned reputation for being one of the most exciting fixtures in the Southern Combination League.

Since the first ever meeting between the sides in this competition back in 2005, there have been 23 matches containing 89 goals at an average of nearly four per match.

Amongst the more ridiculous score lines of the past six years are 5-3 and 6-4 wins for Hassocks. Two matches in the Premier Division Supplementary Shield matches last April yielded 10 goals.

In terms of the overall head-to-head, Hassocks lead it with 12 victories to eight for Down.

That comes as something of a surprise as since the Anvils first joined us in the top flight of the Southern Combination in 2009, they finished above us in all but one season.

The score so far this season is Hassocks 2-1 Crawley Down. The Anvils won the first meeting 2-0 here at the Beacon in the Sussex Senior Cup back in October.

We gained revenge in January with a 2-1 extra time win in the

Sussex Principal RUR Charity Cup, before winning 3-1 at the Haven in the league three weeks later.

The familiarity between the clubs does not just end with the fact we have been such frequent opponents over the course of the current campaign.

Down have five former Robins in their first team squad, including two prolific strikers.

Charlie Pitcher top the scoring charts for us in the 2020-21 season having been signed to replace Phil Johnson after Jonno made the move to the Haven.

Both have been in excellent form for Down in the current campaign.

Pitcher has 32 goals. Johnson has missed virtually the whole second half of the season but still has 23 to his name.

Harvey Blake, Will Broomfield and Harvey Enticknap are the other ex-Hassocks players now at Down who could feature on an important morning for both sides.

Down need three points in their chase for the top 10 whilst we would like to finish on a high in front of our own fans.

10 Key Moments

1993... Crawley Down United and two other local sides merge to form Crawley Down Village

1995... win promotion to the Southern Combination League after lifting the Mid Sussex League title

1996... runners up in Division Two at the first attempt taking the Anvils into senior football for the first time

1999... they drop 'Village' from their name & finish 3rd in Division 1 but can't go up due to ground grading

2007... permission is finally granted to develop The Haven with floodlights, hard standing and seats

2009... reach the fourth round of the FA Vase and finish 3rd to win promotion to the Premier Division

2011... it's a double as the RUR Cup and Southern Combination title are lifted and promotion secured

2014... after a three season stay in the Isthmian League, Down are relegated

2016... back-to-back relegations see them slip back into Division One for one season before promotion

2017... reached the RUR Cup final where they lost to Newhaven

Last 20 Seasons

2018-19, Southern Combination Premier 9th

2017-18, Southern Combination Premier 12th

2016-17, Southern Combination Premier 11th

2015-16, Southern Combination One 2nd

2014-15, Southern Combination Premier 19th

2013-14, Isthmian South 23rd

2012-13, Isthmian South 13th

2011-12, Isthmian South 16th

2010-11, Southern Combination Premier 1st

2009-10, Southern Combination Premier 8th

2008-09, Southern Combination One 3rd

2007-08, Southern Combination One 6th

2006-07, Southern Combination One 16th

2005-06, Southern Combination One 5th

2004-05, Southern Combination One 10th

2003-04, Southern Combination One 11th

2002-03, Southern Combination One 15th

2001-02, Southern Combination One 11th

2000-01, Southern Combination One 16th

1999-00, Southern Combination One 4th

Hassocks v Crawley Down Gatwick :: Head-to-Head

SCFL Premier Division... Played 14 - Won 6 - Drawn 2 - Lost 6 - Scored 30 - Conceded 29

Sussex Senior Cup... Played 1 - Won 0 - Drawn 0 - Lost 1 - Scored 0 - Conceded 2

RUR Charity Cup... Played 5 - Won 4 - Drawn 0 - Lost 1 - Scored 9 - Conceded 4

Peter Bentley League Cup... Played 1 - Won 1 - Drawn 0 - Lost 0 - Scored 3 - Conceded 2

SCFL Supplementary Shield... Played 2 - Won 1 - Drawn 1 - Lost 0 - Scored 6 - Conceded 4

Total... Played 23 Won 12 Drawn 3 Lost 8 Scored 48 Conceded 41

Previous 10 Meetings

2021-22 SCFL Premier: Crawley Down 1-3 Hassocks

2021-22 RUR Cup: Hassocks 2-0 Crawley Down

2021-22 Sussex Senior Cup: Hassocks 0-2 Crawley Down

2020-21 SCFL Supp Shield: Crawley Down 2-4 Hassocks

2020-21 SCFL Supp Shield: Crawley Down 2-2 Hassocks

2019-20 SCFL Premier: Crawley Down 3-2 Hassocks

2018-19 SCFL Premier: Crawley Down 2-5 Hassocks

2018-19 SCFL Premier: Hassocks 1-2 Crawley Down

2018-19 RUR Charity Cup: Hassocks 2-1 Crawley Down

2017-18 SCFL Premier: Crawley Down 1-3 Hassocks



Robins make light of injuries for a happy evening at the Haven

Crawley Down Gatwick must be sick of the sight of Hassocks. For the second time in 21 days, Brad Sweetman's side defied the nine Premier Division placings and 20 points separating the two clubs to run out victorious over the Anvils.

Three weeks earlier and two extra time goals from Jack Troak were enough to send the Robins into the quarter finals of the Sussex Principal RUR Charity Cup via a 2-1 win over Down at the Beacon.

This 3-1 success at the Haven was even more impressive. Hassocks were away from home, the margin of victory was bigger, the game was won in 80 minutes and the Robins had several walking wounded after a bruising 4-1 weekend defeat at home to Bexhill United.

Three players who had started against the Pirates were ruled out completely. Alex Harris, Charlie Tuck and captain Troak were replaced by Harvey Parker, Arthur Rawlingson and Bradley Bant.

"Just when you start to get a settled team out, you pick up a load more injuries," said Hassocks technical director Dave John before kick off, although Down too had absentees issues of their own.

Chief amongst those was the fact that former Robins favourite and Anvils top scorer Phil Johnson was watching from the stands, a ligament injury having ruled him out since November.

It was two more of Down's ex-Hassocks contingent who combined to give the hosts the lead with the only meaningful attack either side managed in the opening 30 minutes.

A quarter of an hour had elapsed when Harvey Enticknap did well to get to the byline and deliver a low cross into the box towards Charlie Pitcher.

Bradley Tighe appeared to make a decent tackle on Pitcher, only for

the ball to ricochet back to last season's Hassocks top scorer to clinically finish into the bottom corner with a snapshot on the turn.

Hassocks registered their first opportunity with 31 minutes played. Rawlingson clipped up the line for the tireless Alfie Loversidge to chase.

His clever switch of play out to the left found Joe Bull who despite having a tight angle to work with, drew a good stop from Alex Bellingham in the Down goal.

Bellingham was called into action again three minutes later, Rawlingson advancing from right back to collect a Josh Short pass and deliver a cross.

What came next was something of a collector's item, the diminutive Bradley Bant appearing to leap 50 times his own body length like a cricket to power a firm header which required a decent save to keep it out.

The slow start to proceedings became a distant memory in the final 10 minutes of the half as the game began to ebb and flow.

Home centre back Lewis Scally was lucky to stay on the pitch after a reckless, high, two-footed lunge through Bull was somehow only deemed a yellow card by referee Joshua Langley-Fineing.

It was a decision that left even home fans a little surprised and it caused a bit of a furore on the pitch, the normally placid Westlake brothers momentarily turning into the Kray Twins in the resulting melee.

Hassocks regained their composure quickly to equalise four minutes before the interval.

Turner used his hand to produce a textbook volleyball spike back to James Westlake, something which incredibly went unnoticed by Down bar one half-hearted appeal for handball.

Westlake made the most of the opportunity, striking low and hard past Bellingham to level the game.

The second half was nine minutes old when Marc Pelling joined his

defensive partner Scally in the referee's book for cynically pulling Short's shirt after the Hassocks forward skipped around him.

That left both of Down's centre backs trying to negotiate the final half hour without committing another foul, whilst facing the pace and skill of Short and Loversidge leading the line for Hassocks.

The Robins would go onto make the most of the situation, but they first needed Bant to produce a superb block on the line from another Pitcher snapshot to ensure they did not fall 2-1 behind with 68 minutes played.

Bant almost went from goal saver to goal scorer on 75. A failed Pelling clearance hit Bant in the chest and although he showed mighty quick reactions to get a volley away as the ball fell, it was just wide.

Hassocks were on top now and they took the lead with 78 minutes played. Loversidge's deft flick put Short in against Scally and the Down defender did not dare risk getting a tackle wrong for fear of a red card.

That allowed Short to skip away before drilling past Bellingham and into the bottom corner.

Two minutes later and Loversidge and Short again linked up in identical fashion. This time, Down managed to scramble clear but their relief was short lived as the Robins wrapped things up from the resulting corner.

Lewis Westlake delivered to the penalty spot where Rawlingson had been left with enough time and space to bring the ball down on his chest and thump home a crisp volley with aplomb for his first senior goal in Hassocks colours.

Hassocks: Parker; Rawlingson, Turner, Tighe, Baden; Bant, J Westlake, L Westlake, Bull; Short, Loversidge.

Subs: S Smith (Bant 89), Broad (Loversidge 92), J Smith, Wallis, Beebee (unused).

Super sub Miles provides the magic as Hassocks snatch a point

Young super sub Nathan Miles was the Hassocks hero as the teenage striker came off the substitutes bench to earn the Robins a 3-3 draw with Crawley Down in just 13 minutes on the pitch.

Miles had just entered the action in place of James Laing when Joel Harding's clearance was returned through the middle and former Burgess Hill Town striker Nick Sullivan beat the perplexed keeper to put Down 3-1 ahead and cruising to victory.

That was in the 78th minute. In the 82nd minute, Miles was pulled down in the box by Jahmal King and Anthony Hibbert converted the resulting spot kick, his second of the afternoon.

In the 84th minute, Miles then went racing through to lift the ball over Down goalkeeper Shayne Goldsmith to complete a magnificent Hassocks turnaround.

On the balance of play, it was a fortunate point for the Robins. Dave John, back in the dugout after being laid low with flu over Christmas and the New Year, said afterwards that any point from 3-1 down is a good one.

He also reserved special praise for Miles, who has been knocking on the door of the first team for some time now.

The recent wet weather meant that this was Hassocks' first action in three weeks.

Despite the heavy rain, the Beacon pitch was in excellent condition thanks to the heavy

investment that the Robins committee have sunk into their facilities over the last few years.

Four of the goals arrived in the second half and yet bizarrely, it was the first half which was the better to watch in terms of quality.

Both sides tried to play football, there was a lively tempo and plenty of competitive edge.

It could have been 2-2 inside the first 10 minutes. Hassocks were first to threaten when Phil Gault drew an excellent save from Goldsmith.

From the resulting corner, both Sol Bowra and Gault had chances before Spencer Slaughter hit a shot just wide.

Down soon proved they could pose a threat when skipper Tony Reid had his header from Nick Sullivan's cross turned aside by Harding, who then did superbly three minutes later to deny Aaron Watson.

Hassocks skipper Ashley Marsh misjudged a long ball and although Dan Jacques did well to hold up Watson, the visiting midfielder looked as if he had rounded Harding before the keeper miraculously grabbed the ball from Watson's toe as the visiting forward was about to pull the trigger.

The Robins went a little flat after that and it was no surprise when Down took the lead on 25 minutes.

Harding came for Dan Sullivan's cross, but he was beaten to it by Reid who crashed a header into the unguarded net.

Hassocks responded well to going behind and Stuart Faith nearly marked his return from seven weeks out with a goal, putting a near post header just over the bar from a

corner needlessly conceded by Goldsmith.

Faith's miss hardly mattered four minutes later though when referee Paul Burton spotted the hand of the hapless King blocking a Hassocks shot in the box.

Mr Burton pointed to the spot and the hosts had their first penalty which Hibbert powerfully despatched, although Goldsmith did well to get a hand on it.

From then until half time, Hassocks were much the better side. Slaughter did brilliantly to set up Laing whose shot cannoned off the underside of the bar.

Slaughter then put a good chance wide after Matt Beeston made a mess of a clearance.

Down dominated the second half as Hassocks failed to get going until Miles' introduction.

The home defence was carved open on 65 minutes as Reid notched a well taken and deserved second goal.

Harding denied him a hat-trick with another fine stop before Down did get their third through Sullivan.

It looked like curtains for the home side but Miles had other ideas, his late turn delivering his first senior goal and a valuable point for the Robins to leave Down wondering how they had let the game get away.

Hassocks: Harding; Jacques, Bowra, Marsh, Faith, Kublickas; Clark, Slaughter, Hibbert; Laing, Gault.

Subs: Miles (Laing 77), Thompson, Bates, Kane, J Simpson (unused).



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As the curtain comes down on the 2021-22 season, we are now asking Hassocks fans to vote for their Supporters' Player of the Season. A young team has made real progress after a difficult start - and there might yet be a bit of history to be written with an RUR Cup semi final to come.

To cast your selection, simply tear off the voting slip below, write your nomination and hand it to Owen behind the bar. Owen might even have a pen you can borrow. Thank you for voting and for your fantastic support this year.

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My vote for Hassocks Supporter's Player of the Season is

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Spencer & Megan's Marathon Run raises over £1000 for St Peter & St James Hospice

Hassocks stalwart Spencer Slaughter & his fiancée Megan completed the Brighton Marathon on Sunday 10th April, raising over £1000 for St Peter & St James Hospice along the way.

Spencer was tackling his third marathon and finished it in a personal best of 4:04:36 running alongside fellow Robin Josh Hawkes.

Whisper it quietly, but Spencer is now talking about running a fourth having come close to breaking the sub four hour barrier.

Megan meanwhile completed her first marathon in 5 hours 38 minutes, a fantastic effort following 120 training runs over the course of the previous 20 weeks.

In total, the couple have raised £1,142 for St Peter & St James, far exceeding their initial target of £500. If you have not yet donated and

would still like to, then please scan the QR code to go Spencer & Megan's Justgiving page.

£340 of that was contributed at the Beacon in our previous home fixture against Littlehampton Town through bucket collections, a raffle and a generous whip round organised by the players before the game.

It was nice to see Dave John allowing raffle winners to keep their prizes for once, rather than 'suggesting' they leave the bottle of wine behind for the draw at the next home game.

Thank you to everyone who donated on the day and who has supported Spencer and Megan in their fundraising efforts.

St Peter & St James is obviously a charity very close to the hearts of everyone here at the Beacon. They cared for Ann John, the much-missed wife of our chairman Dave, who we sadly lost to cancer eight years ago.

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Goals galore in March win Captain Jack Troak Player of the Month

Hassocks enjoyed their best month of the 2021-22 season so far in March and central to that was Captain Jack Troak, a deserved winner of the Robins Player of the Month award.

Troak endured an injury hit 2021 in which he made only a handful of appearances from November onwards. That partly explains why Hassocks struggled so much in the early part of the campaign.

Since the turn of the year however, there has been no looking back. In March, he contributed five goals as the Robins won three, drew one and lost one of their five fixtures.

The month began with a disappointing team performance in a 1-0 defeat at Horsham YMCA. That was put right a week later when a professional showing against bottom of the table East Preston delivered a 5-2 win at a sunny Beacon.

Troak cancelled out the shock lead taken by EP when visiting goalkeeper Gentjan Poda was caught out by the Robins captain's pace.

Poda hesitated on a backpass for

a little too long, allowing Troak to dispossess him and roll into the empty net.

Parity did not last long as EP went back into the lead within a minute. Troak was the man who again hauled Hassocks level, beat Poda to glance in a Lewis Westlake corner.

Those two goals set the stage for the Robins to go on and win the game in the second half as Alfie Loversidge, Lewis Westlake and Joe Bull all joined Troak on the scoresheet.

Troak hit another brace three days later when Hassocks won 2-0 at Seaford Town, securing a spot in the semi finals of the Sussex Principal RUR Charity Cup semi final for the first time in a decade.

His first came from the penalty spot after a jinking Josh Short run past three or four Seaford players was ended illegally inside the area.

The second arrived with perfect timing on the stroke of half time. Lewis Westlake popped up in a wide position to deliver a cross which Troak ran across a couple of home defenders to poke home from close range.

Troak was involved in the only goal of the game at Pagham, where Hassocks won for the first time since 2012 via a 1-0 victory.

His run and cross down the left eventually fell for Short to fire home via a Sam Smith effort and a great save from Lions goalkeeper Lewis Broughton.

Troak's final goal of March came in the 1-1 draw at Newhaven, another confidently despatched penalty which put a serious dent in the title hopes of the Dockers.

It was close for second place in the Player of the Month vote with James Westlake claiming only 1.5 percent more than Dan Turner.

Westlake senior has been in excellent form all season alongside his brother in midfield, consistently turning over possession and getting Hassocks on the front foot.

Turner meanwhile played a huge part in ensuring that the Robins conceded just once on the road from those visits to Pagham and Newhaven, two clubs who have been free scoring for most of the campaign as they chased top five finishes.



Hassocks to host Littlehampton in RUR Charity Cup big semi

Hassocks will face Southern Combination League Premier Division leaders and FA Vase finalists Littlehampton Town in the semi finals of the Sussex Principal RUR Charity Cup.

The tie will take place on Tuesday 26th April with a 7:45pm kick off under the lights at the Beacon.

It will be the Robins' first big semi since reaching the final four of the same competition in the 2011-12 campaign.

They lost 3-1 on that occasion to Selsey, extending their record of never having reached a cup final in senior football.

The defeat to the Blues is one of four semi finals that Hassocks have qualified for in their 40 years as a Southern Combination League club.

Three of those have come in the RUR Cup - 2000 and 1994 alongside 2012 - and one in the Peter Bentley League Cup in 1997.

To reach this stage, Hassocks have seen off Montpellier Villa,

Crawley Down Gatwick and Seaford Town. For the Robins to continue their run and make history, they will have to pull off the mother of all upsets against opponents who have swept all before them this season.

Littlehampton are chasing an historic quadruple. They lead the Premier Division by two points with three games remaining and could become the first Southern Combination outfit to win the FA Vase should they overcome Newport Pagnell Town at Wembley on Sunday 22nd May.

And six days after visiting the Beacon in the RUR Cup, the Marigolds return to Hassocks to face Newhaven in the final of the Peter Bentley Cup.

Results between the two this season also point to the difficult task facing Brad Sweetman and his Robins players.

Littlehampton recently won 6-2 in Mid Sussex, a victory achieved without either of their leading goal scorers Joe Benn or George Gaskin.

The September meeting at the Flora Sportsfield was a little closer,

Hassocks rallying from 2-0 down at half time to level the game at 2-2 by the hour mark.

Unfortunately for the visitors, the Marigolds' quality told and they struck twice late on to run out 4-2 victors.

Of the 33 previous games between Hassocks and Littlehampton, only one has taken place in the RUR Cup, the Marigolds visiting the Beacon in the second round of the 2015-16 competition.

Littlehampton were the reigning Southern Combination champions at the time and they made light work of Hassocks, running out 5-0 winners.

Current Marigolds boss Mitchell Hand was on the scoresheet, along with Dean Janman and a hat-trick for George Landais.

Littlehampton have eliminated Loxwood, AFC Uckfield Town and Chichester City on their way to the semi final, racking up a scarcely believable 23 goals in three games.

The winners of the tie will go onto face Saltdean United at Culver Road in the final.

Below par Robins are no match for Wembley bound Littlehampton

Southern Combination League Premier Division

Saturday 9th April 2022, The Beacon

Hassocks 1-6 Littlehampton Town



FA Vase finalists

Littlehampton Town showed why they have become the first ever Southern Combination League side to reach the Wembley showpiece by hammering Hassocks in front of the biggest Beacon crowd of the season.

The Marigolds ran out 6-2 winners to remain two points ahead of Saltdean United at the head of the Premier Division with three matches to play in a title race which looks set to go down to the wire.

Littlehampton are undoubtedly the best side the Robins have faced this season.

What might stop them claiming the championship is that they still have their eyes on four different pieces of silverware.

As well as the league title and the Vase, they will return to the Beacon on May Bank Holiday Monday to take on Newhaven in the Peter Bentley League Cup final.

That may not be their only repeat visit to Mid Sussex over the next few weeks either.

On Tuesday night, the Marigolds face Chichester City in the quarter finals of the Sussex Principal RUR Charity Cup. The winners will have a trip to Hassocks in the final four.

The Robins know that whoever they face out of Littlehampton or Chi, they will have their work cut out in reaching a first ever final in senior football.

This season though has been a relative success for Brad Sweetman and his squad.

Premier Division survival was the aim and although Hassocks lost on the day, defeat for Loxwood against Saltdean means the Robins cannot now finish in the bottom two.

After a slow and troublesome start in which relegation looked a real possibility, the young Hassocks head

coach and his players have grown into their roles to the point where they can now compete with most teams in the top flight.

Most being the operative word, because when Littlehampton are in this sort of form they are difficult to live with.

Sweetman stuck with the same starting XI who had all-but ended Newhaven's faint title hopes when drawing 1-1 at Fort Road in their last fixture a fortnight ago.

Hassocks knew that they would need to give a similar faultless display to that effort down on the banks of the Ouse if they were to impose themselves again on the championship race.

Unfortunately for the Robins, they ended up having a bit of an off-day, giving away two cheap goals in the space of three minutes midway through the first half which set the tone for the afternoon.

Aaron Capon was the first grateful recipient on 20 minutes before Dion Jarvis doubled the advantage on 23.

In the corresponding September fixture between these sides at the Sportsfield, Hassocks had rallied from 2-0 down to level the tie before succumbing to a battling 4-2 defeat.

Any hopes of a similar story were dashed two minutes after the interval.

Alfie Loversidge conceded possession with a loose pass and half time substitute Zack Harris punished the mistake with a cracking finish to give Alex Harris no chance.

Sam Smith pulled one back for the Robins on 58 when Littlehampton failed to clear a corner and the bustling forward bundled home.

It was poor defending from the Marigolds. Hassocks were equally guilty of that just three minutes later when Lewis Jenkins was left unmarked from six yards out to scuff a weak effort past Harris.

That made it 4-1 for anyone struggling to keep up. Littlehampton

goal number five arrived despite the best efforts of Dan Turner, who won a succession of headers and blocks whilst left almost alone by a defence which had gone worryingly AWOL.

The visitors eventually took advantage of the opportunity via captain Jordan Clark.

Harris made it 6-1 with eight minutes to go, after which there was still time for Hassocks to find a second consolation.

Referee Neil Wallace pointed to the spot, awarding the Robins a penalty.

Nobody seemed entirely sure what offence had been committed, but that was of no concern to Jack Troak who buried his kick to make in nine goals in 20 appearances since returning from injury midway through the campaign.

The final score from Loxwood did at least raise spirits amongst the home contingent, as did the news that £340 had been raised on the day for St Peter & St James Hospice.

Those generous donations from both Robins and Littlehampton fans were in support of Hassocks stalwart Spencer Slaughter and his fiancée Megan, who were running the Brighton Marathon the following day in support of the charity.

Hassocks: Harris; Rawlingson, Turner, Marshall, Baden; Loversidge, J Westlake, L Westlake, Troak; S Smith, Short.

Subs: Bant, Edmeads, Bull (used), W Tighe, Wickwar (unused).

Awesome Akras denies Hassocks three points in sunny Steyning

Southern Combination League Premier Division
Saturday 16th April 2022, The Beacon
Steyning Town 1-1 Hassocks



With both Steyning Town and Hassocks safe from relegation, there was little to play for when the sides who sit 16th and 17th in the Southern Combination League Premier Division met at the Shooting Field.

It was to both teams credit then that they still put on a decent show, especially in the first half when most of the chances arrived and both goals were scored in a 1-1 draw.

The spoils being shared was probably the right result, even though home goalkeeper Stefanos Akras was the best player on the pitch.

He denied the Robins from adding to Jack Troak's early opener with three saves of the highest class and was also involved in the game's major talking point midway through the first half.

That saw Lewis Westlake clip a long ball forward for Josh Short to chase. Akras came haring from his goal and as Short beat him to the ball and rounded him, the two collided.

Short now had an open net to fire into and so Akras cleverly grabbed his head.

The general consensus from those who had the best view of the incident watching from the stand was that Akras had been caught on the shoulder, but from the position that referee Nick Blogg was in, it must have appeared a head injury.

Mr Blogg subsequently stopped the game, denying Short the most routine of goals.

Hassocks were incensed and even though Mr Blogg was right to want halt proceedings for a potential head injury you could understand why; they almost certainly would have gone onto win had they gone 2-0 ahead.

It was a lead they deserved too after dominating the opening 25 minutes. To make matters worse, the

decision seemed to take the wind out of the Robins' sails and Steyning equalised shortly afterwards with their first shot on target.

Hassocks had taken the lead with only seven minutes on the clock. Dan Turner charged over to the touchline to use one of his famous long throws, launching the ball 50 yards down the pitch deep into Steyning territory.

The Barrowmen worked the ball back to a surprised Akras, who dallied in possession for a second too long. Troak closed him down, won the ball and then rolled into an empty goal to make it 1-0.

Akras atoned for his part in the opener with his first outrageous stop of the afternoon five minutes later.

Lewis Westlake played a long ball over the top to set Short away and his powerful drive looked destined for the bottom corner until Akram somehow repelled it with a strong arm.

The Steyning goalkeeper made an even more impressive save just before the phantom head injury incident. Lewis Westlake swung over a corner which young Luke Marshall met with a towering header.

Akras though threw himself into the air and got the most important of touches on the ball, pushing it onto the cross bar as Steyning again survived.

The Barrowmen's quest to find a way back into the game appeared to get a little harder when Bobby Bennett limped out of proceedings with around 30 minutes played.

Steyning though made light work of losing their leading striker. They finished the first half the stronger side and scored with their first real effort at Alex Harris five minutes before the interval.

A left wing cross from Max Howell was met by a flicked header from the in-form Josh Bradley, scoring for the fifth time in Steyning's past five matches.

Chances were at a premium after

the break. Hassocks struggled to make much headway whilst Steyning could find no way past Turner, who was a one-man blocking and heading machine.

The only thing Turner did not win on the day was the post-game meat raffle drawn in the Clubhouse afterwards. One of the prizes did at least go to someone with Hassocks connections, the dad of suspended defender Bradley Tighe and substitute Wes picking up a nice prize to take home.

In football terms, Hassocks had the only chances of note in a second half which drifted somewhat compared to the entertainment of the first.

Another Lewis Westlake corner caused problems for the home side on 58 minutes. This time, Short met it with a header as good as Marshall's in the first half. Unfortunately for Hassocks, Akras pulled off an equally impressive save to keep it out.

Then on 81, it took a combination of Akras and defender Joe Fitzpatrick to ensure the Robins were not victorious.

Short led the Steyning defence on a merry dance, skipping past three defenders before firing a shot towards the bottom corner that Akras kept out.

The loose ball fell to James Westlake, who looked certain to score. That was until Fitzpatrick appeared from nowhere to make a superb sliding block which sent the ball behind for a corner.

Hassocks: Harris; Rawlinsong, Turner, Marshall, Edmeads; Bant, J Westlake, L Westlake, Troak; S Smith, Short.

Subs: Bull, Loversidge (used), Broad, Baden, W Tighe (unused).

First Team Matches 2021-22

Date & Time	Opponents	Comp	F-A	Scorers
August				
03/08 - 19:45	Saltdean United (A)	SCFLP	0-6	
10/08 - 19:45	Spelthorne Sports (H)	FACEP	1-2	Loversidge
14/08 - 15:00	Eastbourne Town (H)	SCFLP	1-2	Short
17/08 - 19:45	AFC Uckfield Town (H)	SCFLP	2-2	Loversidge, Badger
21/08 - 15:00	Broadbridge Heath (H)	SCFLP	1-5	Beebee
24/08 - 19:45	Peacehaven & Tels. (A)	SCFLP	2-3	Bradley, Whittingham
28/08 - 15:00	Steyning Town (H)	SCFLP	2-0	Mitchell-Phillips (2)
30/08 - 11:00	Lingfield (H)	SCFLP	1-1	Loversidge
September				
04/09 - 15:00	Newhaven (H)	SCFLP	0-5	
07/09 - 19:45	Roffey (H)	PBLC2	1-5	Mitchell-Phillips
11/09 - 15:00	Little Common (H)	SCFLP	0-3	
18/09 - 15:00	Littlehampton Town (A)	SCFLP	2-4	Gardner, Badger
25/09 - 15:00	Beckenham Town (H)	FAVQ2	1-2	Bull
October				
02/10 - 15:00	Bexhill United (A)	SCFLP	1-1	Loversidge
09/10 - 15:00	AFC Varndeanians (H)	SCFLP	4-1	Bull, Loversidge (3)
12/10 - 19:45	Eastbourne United (H)	SCFLP	0-3	
16/10 - 15:00	Horsham YMCA (H)	SCFLP	1-2	Gault
19/10 - 19:45	Crawley Down Gatwick (A)	SCFLP	0-2	
23/10 - 15:00	Loxwood (A)	SCFLP	0-1	
November				
06/11 - 15:00	East Preston (A)	SCFLP	1-4	Short
09/11 - 19:45	Montpelier Villa (H)	RURC2	5-0	Short, Gault (2), L.Westlake, Thwaites
13/11 - 15:00	Alfold (H)	SCFLP	2-1	L.Westlake, Gault
16/11 - 19:45	Pagham (H)	SCFLP	1-2	Short
20/11 - 15:00	Broadbridge Heath (A)	SCFLP	0-0	
27/11 - 15:00	Peacehaven & Tels. (H)	SCFLP	2-2	Short, L.Westlake
December				
11/12 - 15:00	Eastbourne Town (A)	SCFLP	2-5	L.Westlake, S.Smith
18/12 - 15:00	Saltdean United (H)	SCFLP	1-1	Loversidge
January				
03/01 - 11:00	Lingfield (A)	SCFLP	2-1	Short, Troak
11/01 - 19:45	Crawley Down Gatwick (H)	RURC3	2-1 AET	Troak (2)
13/01 - 15:00	Little Common (A)	SCFLP	2-2	Gault, Short
22/01 - 15:00	Eastbourne United (A)	SCFLP	0-1	
29/01 - 15:00	Bexhill United (H)	SCFLP	1-4	Short
February				
01/02 - 19:30	Crawley Down Gatwick (A)	SCFLP	3-1	J.Westlake, Short, Rawlingson
05/02 - 15:00	AFC Uckfield Town (A)	SCFLP	1-0	Broad
12/02 - 15:00	AFC Varndeanians (A)	SCFLP	0-1	
26/02 - 15:00	Loxwood (H)	SCFLP	0-0	
March				
05/03 - 15:00	Horsham YMCA (A)	SCFLP	0-1	
12/03 - 15:00	East Preston (H)	SCFLP	5-2	Troak (2), L.Westlake, Loversidge, Bull
15/03 - 19:30	Seaford Town (A)	RURCQF	2-0	Troak (2)
19/03 - 15:00	Pagham (A)	SCFLP	1-0	Short
26/03 - 15:00	Newhaven (A)	SCFLP	1-1	Troak
April				
09/04 - 15:00	Littlehampton Town (H)	SCFLP	2-6	S.Smith, Troak
16/04 - 15:00	Steyning Town (A)	SCFLP	1-1	Troak
18/04 - 11:00	Crawley Down Gatwick (H)	SCFLP		
23/04 - 15:00	Alfold (A)	SCFLP		
26/04 - 19:45	Littlehampton Town (H)	RURCSF		

First Team Appearances 2021-22

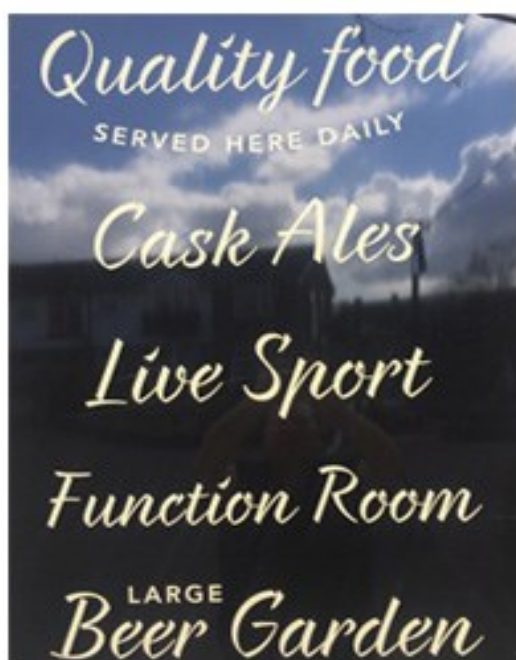
Player	2021-22 Season				Hassocks Career	
	Starts	Used Sub	Games	Goals	Games	Goals
Josh Short	40	0	40	9	52	9
Alfie Loversidge	39	1	40	9	58	11
Arthur Rawlingson	30	6	36	1	36	1
Bradley Tighe	33	0	33	0	136	0
Joe Bull	17	13	30	3	91	7
James Westlake	28	1	29	1	225	31
Jack Baden	23	5	28	0	31	0
Alex Harris	26	0	26	0	86	0
Dan Turner	25	0	25	0	60	3
Lewis Westlake	22	0	22	5	99	11
Luke Marshall	18	3	21	0	37	0
Jack Troak	17	4	21	10	74	23
Bradley Bant	16	4	20	0	169	12
Jack Gardner	16	0	16	1	39	1
Andy Whittingham	16	0	16	0	114	2
Jude Wallis	5	10	15	0	15	0
Charlie Tuck	12	2	14	0	20	0
Connor Bradley	11	2	13	1	22	1
Sam Smith	8	4	12	2	12	2
Lewis Beebee	7	5	12	1	15	1
George Mitchell-Phillips	7	2	9	3	9	3
Charlie Broad	1	8	9	1	9	1
Jordan Badger	5	3	8	2	118	9
Lucas Tyrrell	3	5	8	0	8	0
Charlie Pugh	7	0	7	0	31	0
Phil Gault	5	2	7	5	345	190
Alfie Edmeads	3	4	7	0	7	0
Christian Kiddell	5	0	5	0	5	0
Josh Hawkes	1	4	5	0	77	11
Max Blencowe	3	1	4	0	4	0
Wes Tighe	3	1	4	0	4	0
Louis Thwaites	1	3	4	1	4	1
Harvey Parker	3	0	3	0	3	0
Ben Hicks	2	1	3	0	4	0
Spencer Slaughter	2	1	3	0	293	47
Kobe Dersley	1	2	3	0	4	0
Sam Geard	1	2	3	0	3	0
Jay Hudson	1	2	3	0	3	0
Kieran Dimelow	2	0	2	0	5	0
Lexx Lucas	2	0	2	0	2	0
Tristan Hayes	1	1	2	0	2	0
Marshall Smith	0	2	2	0	2	0
Jacob Campbell	1	0	1	0	1	0
Louis Duckering	1	0	1	0	1	0
Tom Jupp	0	1	1	0	3	0
Arni Kublickas	0	1	1	0	67	1
Louis Pittock	0	1	1	0	9	0
Archie Russell	0	1	1	0	1	0
Phil Wickwar	0	1	1	0	43	0

Under 23 Matches 2021-22

Date & Time	Opponents	Comp	F-A	Scorers
August				
19/08 - 19:45	Crowborough Athletic (H)	SCFL23	4-1	Hudson (4)
26/08 - 19:45	Horsham YMCA (A)	SCFL23	1-1	Russell
September				
01/09 - 19:45	Oakwood (A)	SCFL23	2-0	Hudson, OG
09/09 - 19:45	Steyning Town (A)	SCFL23	2-0	Bradley (2)
16/09 - 19:45	Roffey (H)	SCFL23	1-0	McSwiney
October				
07/10 - 19:45	Saltdean United (H)	CU23C1	3-2	Short (2), Slaughter
14/10 - 19:45	Alfold (H)	SCFL23	3-0	Slaughter (2), Tyrrell
21/10 - 19:45	Broadbridge Heath (A)	SCFL23	0-2	
28/10 - 19:45	Crowborough Athletic (A)	SCFL23	2-4	Rawlingson, M.Smith
November				
04/11 - 19:30	Eastbourne Town (A)	CU23C2	1-2	Russell
11/11 - 19:45	Oakwood (H)	SCFL23	4-1	Russell, Badger (2), M.Smith
18/11 - 19:45	Steyning Town (H)	U23LC1	3-1	Beebee, Tuck, Marshall
25/11 - 19:45	Roffey (A)	SCFL23	0-2	
December				
02/12 - 19:30	Alfold (A)	SCFL23	4-0	Troak (2), Thwaites, Wallis
16/12 - 19:45	St Francis Rangers (H)	SCFL23	3-1	Short, Hawkes, Russell
January				
13/01 - 19:45	Broadbridge Heath (H)	SCFL23	2-2	Beebee (2)
20/01 - 19:45	Horsham YMCA (H)	SCFL23	3-2	Broad (2), Rawlingson
27/01 - 19:30	St Francis Rangers (H)	SCFL23	1-2	Marshall
February				
10/02 - 19:45	Arundel (H)	U23LC2	4-4	Beebee, Wallis (2), M.Smith <i>(Won 4-2 on penalties)</i>
March				
03/03 - 19:45	Broadbridge Heath (A)	U23LCQF	2-2	Marshall, Badger <i>(Won 3-0 on penalties)</i>
31/03 - 19:30	Alfold (@ B'bridge Heath)	U23LCSF	1-2	Turner

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Under 23 Appearances 2021-22

Player	2021-22 Season			Goals
	Starts	Used Sub	Games	
Harvey Ransome	16	3	19	0
Ben Hicks	18	0	18	0
Archie Russell	11	6	17	4
Jude Wallis	15	1	16	3
Sean McSwiney	11	5	16	1
Jack Baden	14	1	15	0
Wes Tighe	8	6	14	0
George Mercer	8	5	13	0
Arthur Rawlingson	9	4	13	2
Luke Marshall	11	1	12	2
Jay Hudson	8	4	12	5
Harvey Parker	10	1	11	0
Louis Thwaites	5	6	11	1
Lewis Beebee	5	3	8	4
Marshall Smith	5	3	8	3
Brad Sweetman	1	7	8	0
Jacob Killkelly	1	6	7	0
Jordan Badger	5	1	6	3
Jack Smith	5	1	6	0
Joe Bull	5	0	5	0
Josh Hawkes	5	0	5	1
Josh Short	5	0	5	3
Charlie Broad	4	1	5	2
Kobe Dersley	4	1	5	0
Charlie Tuck	4	1	5	1
Ryan West	4	0	4	0
Connor Bradley	3	1	4	2
Jamie Douglass	2	2	4	0
Jayden Dunkley	3	0	3	0
Jack Gardner	3	0	3	0
Zac Kladdis	2	1	3	0
Archie Hill	0	3	3	0
Phil Gault	2	0	2	0
Charlie Pugh	2	0	2	0
Spencer Slaughter	2	0	2	3
Lucas Tyrrell	2	0	2	1
Sam Smith	1	1	2	0
Jack Troak	1	1	2	2
Dan Turner	1	1	2	1
Lewis Westlake	1	1	2	0
Jacob Campbell	1	0	1	0
Kieran Dimelow	1	0	1	0
Louis Duckering	1	0	1	0
Tom Jupp	1	0	1	0
Lexx Lucas	1	0	1	0
Josh Novis	1	0	1	0
Max Blencowe	0	1	1	0
Alex Crawford	0	1	1	0
Alfie Loversidge	0	1	1	0
Bradley Tighe	0	1	1	0
James Westlake	0	1	1	0



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Mid Sussex Times

Under 18 Matches 2021-22

Date & Time	Opponents	Comp	F-A	Scorers
August				
29/08 - 11:00	Shoreham (A)	SCFL18	1-0	Gear
September				
05/09 - 11:00	Haywards Heath Town (H)	SCFL18	5-0	Parker-Williams (2), Gear, Beck (2)
12/09 - 11:00	Steyning Town (A)	SCFL18	2-1	Parker-Williams, Beck
19/09 - 11:00	Burgess Hill Town (H)	SCFL18	5-5	Parker-Williams, Russell, Beck, Chowdhury, Gear
26/09 - 11:00	AFC Vardeanians (A)	SCFL18	3-2	Gear, Russell, Howard
October				
03/10 - 11:00	St Francis Rangers (H)	SCFL18	1-1	Parker-Williams
10/10 - 11:00	Eastbourne Borough (A)	CU18C1	0-5	
17/10 - 11:00	Montpellier Villa (H)	SCFL18	2-4	Howard (2)
November				
07/11 - 11:00	Burgess Hill Town (A)	SCFL18	4-0	Russell (2), Gear, Beston
14/11 - 11:00	Worthing United (A)	SCFL18	1-2	Gear
21/11 - 11:00	Shoreham (H)	SCFL18	3-4	Gear, Russell, Carter
28/11 - 11:00	St Francis Rangers (A)	SCFL18	0-2	
December				
05/12 - 11:45	Montpelier Villa (A)	SCFL18	1-2	Parker-Williams
19/12 - 11:00	AFC Vardeanians (H)	SCFL18	1-2	Parker-Williams
January				
16/01 - 11:00	Worthing United (H)	SCFL18	5-6	Gear, Howard, Parker-Williams, Wilson, Beck
23/01 - 11:00	Rustington (A)	U18LC2	0-0	(Lost 3-0 on penalties)
30/01 - 11:00	Steyning Town (H)	SCFL18	1-4	Howard

Under 18 Appearances 2021-22

Player	2021-22 Season			
	Starts	Used Sub	Games	Goals
Archie Russell	17	0	17	5
Beau Howard	16	0	16	4
Alfie Beck	7	9	16	5
Jamie Douglass	15	0	15	0
Sam Gear	15	0	15	8
Oliver Parker-Williams	12	3	15	8
Archie Hill	13	1	14	0
Harry Bundy	12	1	13	0
Max Beston	12	0	12	1
Jayden Dunkley	10	0	10	0
Harry Carter	8	2	10	1
Daniel Llewellyn	8	2	10	0
Jack Thomas	5	5	10	0
Muhammad Wilson	2	6	8	1
Joe Woodhouse	2	6	8	0
Ismaila Housaniou Njai	7	0	7	0
Daniel Lade	5	1	6	0
Josh Trinick	3	3	6	0
Joe Holland	0	6	6	0
Robert Newman	0	6	6	0
Charlie Smith	3	2	5	0
Louis Thwaites	2	3	5	0
Jack Morris	4	0	4	0
Abir Chowdhury	3	0	3	1
Jake Palmer	3	0	3	0
Keegan Croydon-Elkins	0	3	3	0
Owen Parker	0	2	2	0

Veterans Matches 2021-22

Date & Time	Opponents	Comp	F-A	Scorers
September				
19/09 - 14:00	South Godstone (A)	MSFLV	7-1	P.Harding (2), Spies (2), Juniper (2), Butler
October				
10/10 - 14:00	Charlwood (A)	MSFLV	7-2	Spies (3), Maynard, Bundy, Armstrong, Hibbert
November				
07/11 - 14:00	Woodingdean United (A)	CVC1	6-0	P.Harding (3), Leahy, Bundy, J.Harding,
29/11 - 19:30	Furnace Green Rovers (H)	CVC2	5-2	Broadstock, Bundy, Juniper, Gault (2)
December				
19/12 - 14:00	Mile Oak (A)	CVC3	3-4	P.Harding, J.Harding, Juniper
January				
16/01 - 14:00	East Court (A)	MSFLV	9-2	Spies (2), Armstrong (2), Hibbert (2), J.Harding, Juniper, Bundy
23/01 - 14:00	Brockham (H)	MSFLV	4-1	Gault, Spies (2), Sayers
February				
13/02 - 14:00	Ardingly (A)	MSFLV	2-1	Armstrong, Bundy
March				
07/03 - 19:30	Furnace Green Rovers (H)	MSFLV	6-0	Spies (3), Bundy (2), Waller
April				
11/03 - 19:30	Sidley United (H)	FPVPQF	4-1	

Veterans Appearances 2021-22

Player	2021-22 Season			
	Starts	Used Sub	Games	Goals
Steve Spies	9	0	9	12
Jonathan Bundy	7	2	9	5
Anthony Humphries	8	0	8	0
Nick Newman	8	0	8	0
Che Williams	7	1	8	0
Paul Armstrong	6	0	6	3
Robert Sayers	6	0	6	1
Michael Broadstock	5	1	6	1
Lee De La Rue Browne	5	1	6	0
Joel Harding	5	0	5	3
Anthony Hibbert	5	0	5	3
David Juniper	5	0	5	5
Adam Waller	5	0	5	1
Elliott Butler	4	0	4	1
Brendan Leahy	4	0	4	1
Pat Harding	3	0	3	6
Richard Thompson	2	1	3	0
Steve Curtis	1	1	2	0
Phil Gault	1	1	2	3
Chris Maynard	1	1	2	0
Paul Gurr	0	2	2	0
Oliver Gosden	1	0	1	0
Simon Shinvarain	1	0	1	0
Matthew Hughes	0	1	1	0

Ladies Matches 2021-22

Date & Time	Opponents	Comp	F-A	Scorers
September				
12/09 - 14:00	Eastbourne United (H)	FAWCQ	0-4	
26/09 - 14:00	Montpelier Villa (H)	SCWLP	1-1	J.Craig
October				
10/10 - 14:00	Pagham (H)	SCWLP	4-5	K.Chappell (2), Johanson, Mair
24/10 - 14:00	Saltdean United (H)	SCWLP	0-1	
November				
14/11 - 14:00	Woodingdean Wand. (H)	SCWLP	7-0	Mair (3), Pordage, J.Craig, S.Chappell, Johanson
December				
12/12 - 14:00	Montpelier Villa (A)	SCWLP	0-3	
January				
23/01 - 14:00	Saltdean United (A)	SCWLP	4-2	J.Craig, Kendall
February				
06/02 - 14:00	Woodingdean Wand (A)	SCWLP	7-0	K.Chappell (4), Johanson, Bright, Pordage
13/02 - 14:00	Worthing Town (H)	SCWLP	4-0	K.Chappell, J.Craig, Mair, Read
20/02 - 14:00	Horsham Sparrows (A)	SWLC2	6-0	Mair (2), Pordage, J.Craig (2), Johanson
27/02 - 14:00	Roffey (H)	SCWLP	0-1	
March				
06/03 - 15:00	Worthing Town (A)	SCWLP	6-4	K.Chappell (2), J.Craig (2), Johanson, Bright
13/03 - 14:00	Roffey (H)	SWLCQF	4-1	K.Chappell (2), Flin, Mair
20/03 - 14:00	Eastbourne Town (A)	SCWLP	11-0	J.Craig (2), K.Chappell (4), Johanson (2), Mair (2), Stevens
April				
03/04 - 14:00	Pagham (A)	SCWLP	0-2	
10/04 - 14:00	Eastbourne Town (H)	SCWLP	8-0	K.Chappell (3), J.Craig (2), King, Johanson (2)
24/04 - 14:00	Seaford Town (H)	SCWLP		
24/04 - 14:00	Seaford Town (H)	SCWLP		
May				
15/05 - 14:00	Seaford Town (H)	SWLCSF		

Ladies Appearances 2021-22

Player	2021-22 Season			
	Starts	Used Sub	Games	Goals
Jodie Johanson	16	0	16	9
Sam Newman	16	0	16	0
Mia Pordage	16	0	16	3
Emma Flin	14	1	15	1
Claire Stevens	14	0	14	1
Katie Read	9	5	14	1
Jess Craig	13	0	13	11
Jemma Kendall	12	0	12	1
Tallie Bright	12	0	12	2
Sarah Chappell	11	1	12	0
Kirstin Mair	11	1	12	10
Katherine Chappell	11	0	11	19
Joanne Brown	6	3	9	0
Ellie Moquet	3	6	9	0
Holly Webb	2	7	9	0
Zeba Ghorishi	4	3	7	0
Kayleigh Norris	1	3	4	0
Liz King	2	1	3	1
Gemma Coote	1	0	1	0
Madeleine Cannon	0	1	1	0
Rachael Scammell	0	1	1	0
Alesha Simmons	0	1	1	0

ON THIS DAY



A testing campaign was reaching its conclusion on this day in **2009** and there was a distinct end of season feel as already-safe Hassocks visited an Oakwood side who had to win to stand any chance of avoiding relegation...

Ragged Robins beaten as Oakwood boost survival hopes

Hassocks secured their Division One status a few weeks ago and at Tinsley Lane, they did their best to boost the slim survival hopes of hosts Oakwood with a lacklustre display that had a distinct end of season feel about it.

The Robins had plenty of chances but they took none of them on their way to a 1-0 defeat. It was all rather half-hearted from the visitors, who could at least point to a batch of absentees as a reason for their display.

Stuart Faith and the Simpson brothers all had cricketing commitments. Arni Kublickas missed out with a leg injury and Laurence Robinson was only well enough to sit on the benching having been struck down with tonsillitis, meaning Dave John had to shuffle his pack.

Dan Jacques was moved from his normal right wing back berth to play as one of three central defenders. Young Luke Akehurst took over on the right whilst Jack Simpson's absence meant another starting opportunity in goal for Jason Gander.

An overhead kick as early as the 14th minute from Chris Williams settled the issue in Oakwood's favour.

Hassocks though could and should have scored at least once. The normally reliable James Laing in particular rued a couple of missed opportunities which on another day he scores easily and the Robins take at least a share of the spoils.

Had Laing's one-on-one effort after just eight minutes not been tipped around the post by Oakwood goalkeeper Anthony DiBernardo, then perhaps the game would have taken a different shape.

The hosts grew in confidence thanks to that save and Williams' acrobatic effort six minutes later gave them a further lift.

After that, they were the sharper and hungrier team for most of the match, knowing that anything other than three points would see their relegation out of the top flight mathematically confirmed.

There was a frenetic start to proceedings. Nathan Pullen missed the first chance of the game when volleying wide from a good position after just three minutes.

Laing's pivotal miss occurred five minutes later, followed swiftly by another chance for Pullen. This time, he was denied by a strong Sol Bowra block.

The goal arrived from a long Russ Wells throw, carried into the box by a strong wind. Hassocks allowed the ball to bounce a couple of times and Williams took full advantage, leaving Gander with no chance.

Oakwood fashioned some more good chances before the interval with the gale in their favour. Gander foiled Pullen, Williams missed a one-on-one after a mistake by Ashley Marsh let the Oakwood scorer in and Pullen should have done better when firing straight at Gander.

At the other end, Laing headed

over following an enterprising run and cross down the left from Richard Thompson. Neil Kane then saw an effort blocked by some desperate Oakwood defending.

Hassocks found it much harder playing with the wind in the second half than Oakwood had in the first. That meant chances were at a premium in what was a pretty dour 45 minutes of football.

A rare moment of action came on the hour when the Robins thought they had equalised. DiBernardo came a long way in an attempt to claim Anthony Hibbert's diagonal free kick, only to completely miss the ball.

That left Laing with a free header which he put towards goal. Somehow though, Wells hooked away from right under the cross bar to preserve Oakwood's lead.

Kane shot at DiBernardo with a chance from the resulting corner and the home goalkeeper then made a scrambling save when Adam Williams tried his luck from distance.

Bowra cleared a Gerald Manville header off the line and Hibbert forced a fine diving stop from DiBernardo with a free kick after Kane was brought down on the edge of the area.

John threw on Robinson for the final 20 minutes in an attempt to find a way through but just like his teammates, the striker failed to make too much of an impact as Oakwood held on to secure three vital points.

Around the League...



Our league round up looks at the action that took place on the weekend that Littlehampton Town won 6-2 here at the Beacon, as the Southern Combination League Premier Division title chase became a two horse race...

Saltdean United remained hot on the heels of the Marigolds thanks to a convincing 6-0 win at Loxwood, whose hopes of escaping the bottom two suffered a serious dent.

Jack Langford claimed a hat-trick for the Tigers, with Joe Shelley scoring twice and Harry Shooman once in a convincing win for the visitors to Plaistow Road.

AFC Varndeanians continuing their impressive run of form by beating **Little Common** 3-0, which was bad news for Loxwood.

Omar Bukleb opened the scoring in the first half, followed by second half goals from Alex Rainford and Kyle Woolven.

A 2-1 defeat for **Newhaven** away at **Eastbourne United** ended the slim title hopes of the Dockers.

Dee Okojie and Tigana Quebe had United 2-0 ahead before the hour mark.

Lucas Franzen-Jones struck in the 92nd minute but it proved too little, too late for Newhaven.

Bexhill United were held 0-0 by **Steyning Town**, meaning that the Pirates have completed their first Premier Division home season in 40 years undefeated.

Louis Veneti had an interesting afternoon for **Eastbourne Town**, scoring twice and getting sent off in their visit to **Pagham**.

It finished 3-2 to the Lions at Nyetimber Lane, Callum Chalmers scoring twice after Jared Rance had pulled back as Pagham recovered from 2-0 down to end their poor recent run.

Jonathan Evans notched a brace which combined with an own goal,

gave **Peacehaven & Telscombe** a 3-0 home win over **Broadbridge Heath**.

This afternoon's visitors **Crawley Down Gatwick** were beaten 3-1 away at **Horsham YMCA**.

Phil Johnson scored his first goal since returning from injury to give Down a 22nd minute lead.

That though was cancelled out by two Tom Tolfrey strikes and an Archie Goddard effort.

Lingfield were the latest side to rack up a big win over **East Preston**, coming away from the Lashmar with a 7-1 success.

Aaron Jenkins helped himself to a hat-trick, Richard Wetton netted two from the bench and Ben Connolly and Omar Michael Ellis were also on target. EP scored their consolation through Carl Brown.

The Premier Division's final game saw **AFC Uckfield** defeat **Alfold** 1-0. Luke Blewden got the only goal of the match.

Roffey continue to lead the way at the head of Division One after a 3-1 win at home against **Mile Oak**.

Harry Furnell gave Oak a first half lead. The hosts though scored three times in the final 10 minutes through Johden de Meyer and two goals from Josh Neathey to win the game.

Robert Tambling scored twice for **Midhurst & Easebourne** as they kept up the pressure at the top with a 2-0 success at **Hailsham Town**.

Shoreham netted twice in the last 15 minutes as they won 2-0 in a local derby away at **Worthing United**.

Jonathan Lansdale and Ramon Santos were on target for the Musselmen, who remain on the

periphery of the promotion race.

10 man **Selsey** were not impacted by a red card for Syd Davies as they won 3-1 at **Arundel**.

An own goal, Owen Worsdel and Oliver Clarke were on target for the Blues. The home side's consolation was via James Ayling.

Storrington picked up a decent point by holding **Wick** to a 0-0 draw, although they still face a difficult task in escaping the bottom two as the season draws to a close.

There were two games in Division Two, neither of which did much to change the look of the final table where Rustington are champions, Jarvis Brook runners up and league newcomers Charlwood enjoyed an excellent debut campaign to finish third.

Jarvis Brook were involved in one of those games, winning 4-1 at **Rottingdean Village**.

Freddie Holman, Liam Edwards, Sam Edmunds and Alfie Lambden scored for Brook with Jamie Craddock claiming the hosts' consolation.

Three players were also sent off, Aaron Ancell and David Mitchell seeing red for Rottingdean and Paul Gardner for Brook.

In the other fixture, **Bosham** saw off **Ferring** 1-0 thanks to a 37th minute goal from Lewis Rustell.



The 2021-22 season...

Southern Combination Premier Division Table

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Littlehampton Town	35	26	4	5	121	46	82
Saltdean United	25	25	5	5	100	30	80
Newhaven	35	21	10	4	85	32	73
Bexhill United	35	20	11	4	78	34	71
Eastbourne United	35	19	6	10	72	40	63
Eastbourne Town	35	19	6	10	71	43	63
Pagham	35	18	5	12	61	51	59
Broadbridge Heath	35	17	5	13	66	46	56
Peacehaven & Tels	35	16	7	12	63	40	55
Little Common	36	14	9	13	62	60	51
Crawley Down	35	15	5	15	80	62	50
Lingfield	35	12	3	20	54	72	39
Alfold	35	11	6	18	41	64	39
Horsham YMCA	35	11	6	18	42	69	39
AFC Uckfield Town	35	8	14	13	32	42	38
Steyning Town	36	9	7	20	40	91	34
Hassocks	35	8	9	18	44	74	33
AFC Varndeanians	35	8	7	20	58	85	31
Loxwood	35	6	5	24	31	93	23
East Preston	37	1	6	30	31	158	9

Premier Division Attendances

	Ave	High	Low
Eastbourne Town	247	561	186
Peacehaven & Telscombe	209	426	133
Bexhill United	192	440	64
Littlehampton Town	192	352	112
Newhaven	122	152	84
Broadbridge Heath	121	211	63
Hassocks	119	210	50
Eastbourne United	115	155	68
Saltdean United	113	223	49
Steyning Town	111	212	64
Pagham	108	187	68
Little Common	92	184	32
Loxwood	74	178	38
Horsham YMCA	72	101	41
Alfold	71	121	35
AFC Uckfield Town	69	116	39
East Preston	69	132	30
Crawley Down Gatwick	64	95	32
AFC Varndeanians	56	130	16
Lingfield	50	81	38

Premier Division Form Guide

	Last 6
Saltdean United	WWWWW
Peacehaven & Telscombe	WDWWW
AFC Varndeanians	LWWWWW
Littlehampton Town	WWWLW
Bexhill United	WWWDD
Eastbourne United	DWWWLW
Newhaven	DWWWDL
AFC Uckfield Town	DWDLW
Alfold	WDLWL
Eastbourne Town	LWLWL
Little Common	LLWWWL
Hassocks	DLWDL
Crawley Down	DWLWL
Steyning Town	LLWLW
Horsham YMCA	LWLLW
Broadbridge Heath	WLLWL
Pagham	DLLLLW
Lingfield	LLLLLW
Loxwood	DLLLLL
East Preston	LLLLLL

Premier Division Top Scorers

Player	Club	Goals
Joe Benn	Littlehampton	57
George Gaskin	Littlehampton	40
Charlie Pitcher	Crawley Down	32
Jack Shonk	Bexhill United	32
Jack Langford	Saltdean United	30
Evan Archibald	Bexhill United	28
Alfie Rogers	Newhaven	28
Max Thompson	Eastbourne Utd	24
Phil Johnson	Crawley Down	23
Oli Leslie	Crawley Down	22
Lee Robinson	Newhaven	22
Lewis Hole	Little Common	21
Kieron Pamment	Saltdean United	21
Lucas Franzen-Jones	Newhaven	20
Louis Veneti	Eastbourne Town	20
Jamie Taylor	B'bridge Heath	19
Joe Clarke	Pagham	18
Arron Hopkinson	Eastbourne Town	17
Trevor McCreadie	Saltdean United	17
Tom Boyle	AFC V'deanians	16

Southern Combination Under 23 North Division Table

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Broadbridge Heath	16	11	5	0	56	15	38
Hassocks	16	10	2	4	32	18	32
Crowborough Athletic	16	9	3	4	43	29	30
Alfold	16	8	1	7	35	27	25
Roffey	16	7	4	5	22	17	25
Horsham YMCA	16	7	3	6	40	36	24
Oakwood	16	4	1	11	28	42	13
Steyning Town	16	4	1	11	22	51	13
St Francis Rangers	16	2	0	15	19	62	6

Under 23 North Division Top Scorers

Player	Club	Gls
Tyler Symonds	B'bridge Heath	21
Alfie Barnes	Horsham YMCA	9
Charlie Martin	Alfold	7
Kinsley Mercure	Oakwood	7
Kyle Anson	Crowborough	6
Sam Coxon	Horsham YMCA	6
Zack Lamont	B'bridge Heath	6
Lucas Murrain	Crowborough	6
Samuel Coxon	Horsham YMCA	5

Southern Combination Under 18 Central Division Table

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Montpelier Villa	14	12	2	0	43	13	33
Steyning Town	14	9	1	4	51	27	28
Worthing United	14	6	1	7	35	47	19
Shoreham	14	5	3	6	37	38	18
St Francis Rangers	14	7	1	6	29	36	18
Hassocks	14	4	2	8	39	35	14
Burgess Hill Town	14	4	2	8	28	33	14
AFC Varndeanians	14	3	0	11	18	42	9

Under 18 Central Division Top Scorers

Player	Club	Gls
Charlie Maywood	Montpelier Villa	14
Toby Reeder	Steyning Town	12
Nathan Williams	Worthing United	12
Taylor Harding	Shoreham	11
Jack Smart	Montpelier Villa	11
Sam-Ellie N'Cho	Shoreham	9
Femi Ofei-Kwatia	AFC V'deanians	9
Callum Esnouf	St Francis	9

Sussex County Women's League Premier Division

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Pagham	15	14	0	1	47	16	42
Montpelier Villa	16	13	1	2	76	14	40
Saltdean United	16	10	0	6	49	25	30
Roffey	16	10	0	6	35	26	30
Seaford Town	13	8	0	5	30	8	24
Hassocks	14	6	1	7	50	21	19
Worthing Town	16	3	1	12	22	68	10
Eastbourne Town	15	2	1	12	6	74	7
Woodingdean Wand	15	0	0	15	8	71	0

Top Scorers

Player	Club	Gls
Emma Biffi	Pagham	24
Katherine Chappell	Hassocks	19
Katherine Davyson	Montpelier Villa	16
Dulcie Edler	Worthing Town	15
Gemma Yates	Pagham	15
Saskia Taylor-Doyle	Montpelier Villa	14
Lucy Jellett	Seaford Town	13
Georgia Starkey	Pagham	13
Nicole White	Montpelier Villa	13

Mid Sussex Veterans League Fred Pretty Plate

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Hassocks	8	8	0	0	35	7	24
Ardingly	9	7	0	2	33	17	21
Charlwood	8	6	0	2	21	14	18
South Park	6	5	0	1	10	7	15
Furnace Green Rovers	8	4	0	4	9	17	12
Ansty Sports & Social	6	3	0	3	20	7	9
South Godstone	8	2	0	6	21	32	6
East Court	8	2	0	6	15	28	6
Brockham	9	2	0	7	9	22	6
Burgess Hill Albion	8	0	0	8	5	27	0

Top Scorers

Player	Club	Gls
Steve Spies	Hassocks	12
Liam Tucknott	Ardingly	10
Jonathan Bundy	Hassocks	7
Ritchie Caldwell	South Godstone	7
Christopher Cook	Ardingly	7
Mark Collison	Ansty	6
Pat Harding	Hassocks	6
Mark Heavens	Charlwood	5
Dave Juniper	Hassocks	5
Terry Wallis	Ardingly	5



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Coming up...

Our final Premier Division game of the season takes place on Saturday as we make the trip to Surrey to take on an Alfold side who will be out for revenge following the late drama they were involved in at the Beacon in November...



Alfold

When?

Saturday 23rd April

Where?

Alfold Recreation Ground

Time?

3:00pm

Competition?

Southern Combination League
Premier Division

Alfold this season?

This has been a bit of a transitional season for Alfold. Former Dorking manager Glynn Stephens succeeded Jack and Matt Munday in the summer, the managerial duo who had led Alfold to the Premier Division for the first time in their history deciding to stand down in May. Stephens had to rebuild his squad following a number of departures but he lost his job after a poor autumn run with chairman Mark Wright taking over.

Our record against Alfold?

This is a fixture that the gods clearly hate given the number of times it has been postponed since Alfold won promotion to the top flight for 2019-20. The away game at Alfold was postponed four times that season due to weather with Alfold's trip to the Beacon undergoing the same fate once before both matches were lost to lockdown. Since then, two matches have been played with one win per team.

Last time we met?

Goals in the 2nd and 94th minute gave us a 2-1. Lewis Westlake opened the scoring but his fine distance strike was cancelled out by Sam Lemon on the hour mark. It looked like it would end that way until we won a 94th minute penalty. Phil Gault saw his initial spot kick kept out by Andrew Osei but the Alfold goalkeeper had come off his line, handing Gault a second bite at the cherry which he duly took for a dramatic three points.

How to get to Alfold Rec?

Take the A272 to through Billingshurst, joining the B2133 towards Newpound. Continue on the B2133 through Loxwood and Alfold will be the next village. Once you reach Alfold, you'll come to Alfold Crossways where you need to bear left onto Dunsfold Road with the ground being immediately on your left.



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Money raised in 2021-22

**August £140
September £56
October £98
November £102
December £42
January £98
February £56
March £126
April £28**

TOTAL £672

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Robins Awards

Head on over to the Hassocks Twitter feed after every game to cast your vote for the Robins' man-of-the-match - where you can also select your Player of the Month

Here are our winners so far this season...

Hassocks Man of the Match 2021-22

Saltdean United away **Alfie Loversidge**
Spelthorne Sports home **Alfie Loversidge**
Eastbourne Town home **Josh Short**
AFC Uckfield Town home **Charlie Pugh**
Broadbridge Heath home **Lewis Beebee**
Peacehaven & Telscombe away **Connor Bradley**
Steyning Town home **Alfie Loversidge**
Lingfield home **Joe Bull**
Newhaven home **Swindon Fan on his Stag Do**
Roffey home **Max Blencowe**
Little Common home **Andy Whittingham**
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Eastbourne United home **Charlie Pugh**
Horsham YMCA home **Charlie Pugh**
Crawley Down Gatwick home **James Westlake**
Loxwood away **Spencer Slaughter**
East Preston away **Charlie Pugh**
Montpelier Villa home **Phil Gault**
Alfold home **Alex Harris**
Pagham home **James Westlake**
Broadbridge Heath away **Phil Wickwar**
Peacehaven & Telscombe home **Lewis Westlake**
Eastbourne Town away **James Westlake**
Saltdean United home **Alfie Loversidge**
Lingfield away **James Westlake**
Crawley Down Gatwick home **Jack Troak**
Little Common away **Lewis Westlake**
Eastbourne United away **Josh Short**
Bexhill United home **Josh Short**
Crawley Down Gatwick away **James Westlake**
AFC Uckfield Town away **Charlie Broad**
AFC Varndeanians away **Sam Smith**
Loxwood home **Dan Turner**
Horsham YMCA away **Alfie Edmeads**
East Preston home **Jack Troak**
Seaford Town away **Jack Troak**
Pagham away **Josh Short**
Newhaven away **Dan Turner**
Littlehampton Town home **Jack Troak**
Steyning Town away **Dan Turner**
Crawley Down Gatwick home
Alfold away
Littlehampton Town home

Hassocks Player of the Month 2021-22

August 2021
1st **Connor Bradley**
2nd **Alfie Loversidge**
3rd **Josh Short**

September 2021
1st **Alfie Loversidge**
2nd **Bradley Tighe**
3rd **Josh Short**

October 2021
1st **Alfie Loversidge**
2nd **Josh Short**
3rd **Charlie Pugh / Arthur Rawlingson**

November 2021
1st **Lewis Westlake**
2nd **Arthur Rawlingson**
3rd **James Westlake**

December 2021
1st **Lewis Westlake**
2nd **James Westlake**
3rd **Arthur Rawlingson**

January 2021
1st **Josh Short**
2nd **Dan Turner**
3rd **Jack Troak**

February 2021
1st **Dan Turner**
2nd **James Westlake**
3rd **Jack Baden**

March 2021
1st **Jack Troak**
2nd **James Westlake**
3rd **Dan Turner**

April 2021
1st
2nd
3rd

HASSOCKS FOOTBALL CLUB

Most Games Most Goals

	Starts	Sub	Total	Goals		Goals	Games
1. Mickey Turner	573	21	594	63	1. Phil Gault	190	345
2. Ashley Marsh	519	6	525	4	2. James Laing	143	351
3. Chris Hewitt	493	15	508	22	3. Pat Harding	137	201
4. Ashley Low	445	30	475	14	4. Anthony Hibbert	124	462
5. Anthony Hibbert	407	55	462	124	5. Robbie Kitchen	123	323
6. Andy Fisk	445	11	456	14	6. Phil Johnson	76	163
7. James Laing	298	53	351	143	7. Nathan Miles	74	211
8. Warren Dodds	311	37	348	3	8. Neil Smith	68	242
9. Phil Gault	330	15	345	190	9. Steve Hards	65	155
10. Joel Harding	340	0	340	0	10. Mickey Turner	63	594
11. Paul John	329	0	329	0	11. Dave Smith	53	260
12. Richard Thompson	305	19	324	11	12. Spencer Slaughter	47	293
13. Robbie Kitchen	284	39	323	123	13. Joe Fernley	45	245
14. Spencer Slaughter	250	43	293	47	14. Mark Burnham	44	231
15. Stuart Faith	276	13	289	22	15. Matt Amos	38	81
16. Dave Smith	203	57	260	53	16. Michael Death	38	112
17. Joe Fernley	205	40	245	45	17. Marc Rendall	37	183
18. Neil Smith	232	10	242	68	18. Andy Burt	35	133
19. Dan Jacques	201	31	232	9	19. Liam Benson	31	134
20. Mark Burnham	209	22	231	44	20. Luke Flomo	31	146
21. James Westlake	210	14	224	31	21. James Westlake	31	224
22. Nathan Miles	156	55	211	74	22. Dan Smith	27	63
23. Pat Harding	184	17	201	137	23. Jamie Hillwood	25	124
24. Marc Rendall	150	33	183	37	24. Jack Troak	22	73
25. Stuart Agate	172	7	179	4	24. Stuart Faith	22	289

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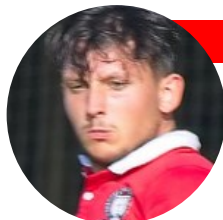
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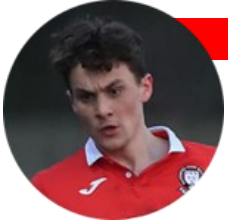
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Physio Phil Wickwar

Next at the Beacon



Littlehampton Town
 Saturday 26th April. 7:45pm
 RUR Charity Cup Semi Final



Crawley Down Gatwick

Alexander Bellingham
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Josh Brown
Shaun Findlay
Phil Johnson
Oliver Moore
Oli Leslie
Lewis Scally
Mike Spence
Michael Wood
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 Ian Lane &
 Olsa Svaikevici

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Today's other Premier Division games

AFC Varndeanians v Saltdean United
 Eastbourne United v Eastbourne Town
 Horsham YMCA v Broadbridge Heath
 Lingfield v AFC Uckfield Town
 Little Common v Bexhill United
 Loxwood v Alfold
 Pagham v Littlehampton Town
 Peacehaven & Telscombe v Newhaven