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The Home of

UXBRIDGE FOOTBALL CLUB

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Tuesday 17th September 2024

7.45pm

Isthmian League South Central Division



Uxbridge FC

v

Hanworth Villa FC



UXBRIDGE FOOTBALL CLUB

Ownership

The legal name of the club, which is an unincorporated members' club, is Uxbridge Football Club



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COMMITTEE

Mark Bantock: Chairman/Treasurer
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Colin Finch: Secretary
Derek Marshall: Matchday Staff
Michael Burrell: Matchday Staff
Steve Kennedy: Head of Youth,
Board Champion
Chris Stanborough: Commercial Manager
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Club Operations Manager
Michael Bodman: Club Historian
Rachel Sharp: Media Manager
Richard Russell: Website & Programme Editor

FIRST TEAM:

(Isthmian League South Central Division)

Danny Edwards: Manager
Fred Cummings: Assistant Manager
Martin Kuhl: Coach
John Carroll: Coach
Shaka Mughal: Goalkeeping Coach
Joseph Peacock: Physiotherapist
Colin Finch: Logistics Manager
Ki Turner: Videographer

YOUTH TEAM

(Isthmian League West Division)

Steve Kennedy: Head of Youth
Jack Gostelow : Manager
Mark Langton : Coach

OPERATIONS

Andy Wareing: Facilities Manager

"The Isthmian Football League strongly supports the FA statement that there should be a zero-tolerance approach against racism and all forms of discrimination. Accordingly, any form of discriminatory abuse whether it by reason of age, disability, gender reassignment, race, religion and belief, marriage and civil partnership, pregnancy and maternity, sex and sexual orientation or any other form of abuse will be reported to The Football Association for action by that Association." (The FA 0800 085 0508 / Kick it Out 020 7253 0162). The Isthmian League and all Member Clubs in the League are committed to promoting equality by treating people fairly and with respect, by recognising that inequalities may exist, by taking steps to address them and providing access and opportunities for all members of the community."

League Directory 2024-25

South Central Division



Ascot United



Ashford Town
(Middlesex)



Badshot Lea



Binfield



Farnham Town



Guernsey



Hanworth Villa



Harrow Borough



Hartley Wintney



Hayes &
Yeading United



Horndean



Kingstonian



Leatherhead



Metropolitan Police



Moneyfields



Rayners Lane



Raynes Park Vale



South Park Reigate



Southall



Sutton Common
Rovers



Uxbridge



Westfield



Ever thought of volunteering to help your local football club?

There are many different volunteer roles in non-league football and Isthmian League football clubs need your help with them.

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UXBRIDGE FC

Good evening, today we welcome the players, officials and supporters of Hanworth Villa FC, along with our match officials, Referee Nick Reece and assistants Pavlos Anastasi & Yashar Yekta . We trust that you will enjoy your stay, and we wish you a safe journey home afterwards.

Last Saturday saw us host Badshot Lea and we put in an excellent performance winning 4-0 and creating a host of chances, to see us move up the table and hopefully kick start our season.

Next up we entertain AFC Croydon Athletic on Saturday, before Ashford Town (Middx) make a quick return here following our recent FA Cup defeat on the 28th September. Local neighbours Hayes & Yeading Utd make to short trip to Honeycroft on Saturday 5th October, before the run of home games ends with a visit from Edgware & Kingsbury in the Middlesex Senior Cup on Tues 8 October.

Enjoy the Match

Forthcoming Fixtures (*League fixtures unless stated otherwise*) September / October 2024

1 st Team		
Date		
Sat 21 Sept	AFC CROYDON ATHLETIC FAT 2QR	H
Sat 28 Sept	ASHFORD TOWN (MIDDX)	H
Sat 5 Oct	HAYES & YEADING UTD	H
Tue 8 Oct	EDGWARE & KINGSBURY MSC 1R	H
Sat 12 Oct	Met Police	A
Weds 16 Oct	Guernsey	A
Sat 19 Oct	ASCOT UTD	H
Sat 26 Oct	South Park (Reigate)	A

Youth Team		
Date		
Mon 23 Sept	Hampton & Richmond Borough	A
Tues 8 Oct	Bracknell Town	A

Langley FC The Cherry Red Records Combined Counties Football League Div 1 (<i>Langley Home games only listed – to be played at Honeycroft unless stated otherwise</i>)		
Date		
Wed 18 Sept	FC DEPORTIVO GALLICIA	H
Wed 25 Sept	HAREFIELD UTD	H
Weds 2 Oct	WESTSIDE	H
Sat 12 Oct	HOLMER GREEN	H
Sat 26 Oct	RISING BALLERS KENSINGTON	H
Weds 30 Oct	LONDON SAMURAI	H



	<i>Likely Squad from</i>
1	George Legg
2	Troy Murray
3	Bryan Taylor
4	Jack Mullan
5	Matthew Kellett-Smith
6	Austen Edwards
7	Jonathan Sanchez
8	Casey Boccardo
9	Kai Hobbs
10	Joshua Addae
11	Alex Witham
12	Reece Robins
14	Greg Hackett
15	Lewis Cole
16	George Moore
17	Andrio Brandao
18	Wilson Chingoka
19	Glenn Yala
20	Ada Okorogheye
21	Kritpac Dzimba
22	Adam Hassane
23	Chad Goulter
24	Sam Wheeler
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<i>Manager</i>	<i>Danny Edwards</i>
<i>Assistant Manager</i>	<i>Fred Cummings</i>
<i>Coach</i>	<i>Martin Kuhl</i>
<i>Coach</i>	<i>John Carroll</i>
<i>Goalkeeping Coach</i>	<i>Shaka Mughal</i>
<i>Physiotherapist</i>	<i>Joseph Peacock</i>
<i>Logistics Manager/Secretary</i>	<i>Colin Finch</i>
<i>Videographer</i>	<i>Ki Turner</i>

	<i>Likely Squad from</i>
1	Guy Ansah-Palmer
2	Louis Collins
3	Theo Crawford
4	Theo Curtis
5	Rayan Djouadj
6	Shane Dunne
7	Ben Geraghty
8	Christian Jolley
9	Conrad Knight
10	Finlay Macnab
11	Ali Mansaray
12	Sam Mead
14	Sam Merson
15	Alfie Mewes
16	Josh Millo
17	Kyen Nicholas
18	Aston Nunn
19	Liam O'Neill
20	Manny Parry
21	Quincy Patterson
22	Harvey Rackley-Hayes
23	Dylan Randall
24	Bruno Robertson-Tingle
25	Mark Smith
26	George Wells
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<i>Manager</i>	<i>Simon Haughney</i>
<i>Assistant Manager</i>	<i>Paul Thomas</i>
<i>Coach</i>	<i>Chris Balchin.</i>
<i>Goalkeeping Coach</i>	<i>Ben Wilkes</i>

Referee: Nick Reece
Asst Referees: Pavlos Anastasi & Yashar Yekta

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By Jon Couch

HERE at NLP Towers, we love a good fundraiser.

We get to hear of some unbelievable tales of courage and bravery that you, the non-League football supporter, carry out for worthy causes close to your heart. We just wish we could print them all.

Indeed, just in this last fortnight alone, we have run three very incredible fundraising stories which have really touched our hearts. Take Joseph Adams, for one. Joseph, a 21-year-old Altrincham super fan with Down Syndrome, embarked on a gruelling charity challenge, running ten 10ks in five days, across ten different European countries!

Joseph undertook the epic “No Limits” challenge with the aim of raising the £250,000 needed to hire a disability sports officer role as part of Altrincham’s Community Sports charity and establish a programme for children and adults with Special Needs. The challenge culminated in the Altrincham 10K on September 1 where Joseph passed the J. Davidson Stadium –home of his beloved club – to a hero’s welcome, raising a whopping £300,000 along the way.

“Joseph is a truly remarkable young man who volunteers in our town centre store every week and throws himself wholeheartedly into everything he does,” said Alty chief executive Sam Mackenzie.

“We are so proud of him, and it was an unforgettable moment when he walked through the door into the hall to applause all round in what was a symbol of how much emphasis we place on community work and relations here at the football club.” Joseph can be supported by visiting www.gofundme.com/f/josephs-challenge-no-limits

At the same time, our attentions were drawn to the efforts of another fundraising hero going beyond the call of duty, this time in the north-east. Matthew Smith, who plays for Wearside League club Durham FC Corinthians, completed a gruelling 800-mile marathon run via every Premier League stadium in aid of a charity close to his heart.

The 30-year-old was raising money for north-east-based suicide prevention charity, If U Care Share Foundation – the charity he co-founded following the sad passing of his brother Daniel almost 14 years ago.

Starting at AFC Bournemouth’s Vitality Stadium earlier this month, Smith ran over 30 miles per day, through all weathers, before eventually reaching St James’ Park, home of his beloved Newcastle United. The mammoth challenge was instigated after a cut to funding to suicide prevention services was announced with Smith looking to raise an initial £135,000.

“There is still a lot of fundraising to go - there is a long way to go and a big amount to hit,” Smith told *The NLP*. “We will keep trying, I will keep asking – but I’m also realistic, I’ve raised a huge amount of money, it’s not a small amount.

“I am still a little bit in shock to be honest and I think it’s going to take a little while to appreciate what I’ve achieved. It feels brilliant to have special people here and people who have really helped along the way. I couldn’t have done it myself.”

Donations are still being accepted to help Matthew reach his target and can be made at www.totalgiving.co.uk/appeal/teamh135.

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And last, but by no means least, wisecracks aimed at a lycra-clad commercial manager ended up inspiring a mammoth fundraising effort between Step 3 rivals situated almost 200 miles apart – and it may well happen all over again.

Bromsgrove Sporting's commercial guru Matt Foden responded to playful stick over rocking up at a pre-season friendly in his cycling gear by vowing to pedal his way to last month's Southern League Premier Division Central fixture at Lowestoft Town.

The idea blossomed into a fundraiser for Bowel Cancer UK and mental health charity CALM – Campaign Against Living Miserably.

Foden's efforts were inspired by people at Sporting recently affected by bowel cancer and a university friend who died from the disease last year, while CALM has offered help and support to the family of former Bromsgrove player Tom Rankin who took his own life in March 2022.

Having taken the scenic route via the north Norfolk coastline, Foden arrived at Lowestoft to a warm welcome where club officials had the kettle on with fans contributing to the fundraising effort before potentially setting up a rerun.

"The fans at Lowestoft were so friendly and helpful when I arrived, Helen Nixon (director) in particular," said Foden.

"I met a guy there who is into cycling, he is half thinking of doing it in April when they come to our place. If he does, I am thinking of going to meet them there and cycle back to Bromsgrove with them."

More traditional transport options were used to get home in time for Sporting's home clash with Halesowen Town on Monday where more money was raised and further online donations have taken the tally past £3,000 with Gift Aid.

"The response from everyone has been fantastic," added Foden.




"It started with a bit of banter but with such great support we have raised more than £3,000, which is great."

Donations can still be made by visiting: justgiving.com/page/matt-foden-1722668965743

Three extraordinary people doing extraordinary things, backed by the Non-League football family. It's what we love to see.

Keep them coming and let's keep on supporting these tremendously worthy causes.

ISTHMIAN LEAGUE SOUTH CENTRAL DIVISION 2024-25

			P	W	D	L	F	A	+/-	Pts
	1	Harrow Borough	6	5	0	1	13	5	+8	15
	2	Westfield	5	4	1	0	14	7	+7	13
	3	Ascot United	5	3	1	1	10	6	+4	10
	4	Horndean	5	3	1	1	10	6	+4	10
	5	Hanworth Villa	5	3	1	1	8	5	+3	10
	6	Farnham Town	3	3	0	0	14	1	+13	9
	7	Kingstonian	4	3	0	1	9	5	+4	9
	8	Hayes & Yeading United	4	2	1	1	9	4	+5	7
	9	Raynes Park Vale	5	2	1	2	11	11	0	7
	10	Sutton Common Rovers	6	2	1	3	9	10	-1	7
	11	Metropolitan Police	6	2	1	3	9	13	-4	7
	12	Rayners Lane	5	1	3	1	10	7	+3	6
	13	Hartley Wintney	3	2	0	1	6	5	+1	6
	14	Southall	5	1	2	2	5	9	-4	5
	15	Leatherhead	4	1	1	2	7	7	0	4
	16	Uxbridge	5	1	1	3	7	10	-3	4
	17	South Park (Reigate)	3	0	3	0	3	3	0	3
	18	Binfield	4	0	1	3	2	9	-7	1
	19	Guernsey	5	0	1	4	3	11	-8	1
	20	Moneyfields	3	0	1	2	3	11	-8	1
	21	Badshot Lea	5	0	1	4	3	16	-13	1
	22	Ashford Town (Middx)	2	0	0	2	1	5	-4	0

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Uxbridge Fixtures & Results 24/25



DATE	H/A	OPPONENT	COMPETITION	KO/SCORE	ATTD	SCORERS
Sat 3 Aug	A	Cobham	FA Cup EP	4-3	112	Okorogheye (3), Hackett
Sat 10 Aug	A	Kingstonian	Isthmian South Central	0-3	243	-
Sat 17 Aug	A	Ashford Town (Middx)	FA Cup Prelim	1-1	79	Dzimba
Tue 20 Aug	H	Ashford Town (Middx)	FA Cup Prelim Replay	1-2	140	Addae
Sat 24 Aug	H	Westfield	Isthmian South Central	3-4	125	Hackett, Chingoka (2)
Mon 26 Aug	A	Harrow Borough	Isthmian South Central	0-3	244	-
Sat 7 Sep	H	Phoenix Sports	FA Trophy 1Q	6-0	120	Decabo (2), Chingoka, Witham, Goulter, og
Mon 9 Sep	A	Binfield	Isthmian South Central	0-0	151	-
Sat 14 Sep	H	Badshot Lea	Isthmian South Central	4-0	110	Okorogheye (2), Moore, Brandao
Tue 17 Sep	H	Hanworth Villa	Isthmian South Central	7.45pm		
Sat 21 Sep	H	AFC Croydon Athletic	FA Trophy 2Q	3pm		
Sat 28 Sep	H	Ashford Town (Middx)	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Sat 5 Oct	H	Hayes & Yeading United	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Tue 8 Oct	H	Edgware & Kingsbury	Middx Senior Cup 1R	7.45pm		
Sat 12 Oct	A	Metropolitan Police	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Wed 16 Oct	A	Guernsey	Isthmian South Central	7.45pm		
Sat 19 Oct	H	Ascot United	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Sat 26 Oct	A	South Park (Reigate)	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Sat 2 Nov	H	Farnham Town	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Tue 5 Nov	H	Binfield	Isthmian South Central	7.45pm		
Sat 9 Nov	A	Badshot Lea	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Sat 16 Nov	H	Guernsey	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Sat 23 Nov	A	Ashford Town (Middx)	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Sat 30 Nov	H	Hartley Wintney	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Sat 7 Dec	A	Moneyfields	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Sat 14 Dec	H	Horndean	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Sat 21 Dec	A	Rayners Lane	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Thu 26 Dec	A	Southall	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Sat 28 Dec	H	Kingstonian	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Wed 1 Jan	H	Harrow Borough	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Sat 4 Jan	A	Sutton Common Rovers	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Sat 11 Jan	A	Leatherhead	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Sat 18 Jan	H	Raynes Park Vale	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Sat 25 Jan	A	Hartley Wintney	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Sat 1 Feb	H	Moneyfields	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Sat 8 Feb	A	Hayes & Yeading United	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Sat 15 Feb	H	Metropolitan Police	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Sat 22 Feb	A	Ascot United	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Sat 1 Mar	H	South Park (Reigate)	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Sat 8 Mar	A	Farnham Town	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Sat 15 Mar	A	Horndean	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Sat 22 Mar	H	Rayners Lane	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Sat 29 Mar	A	Raynes Park Vale	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Sat 5 Apr	H	Leatherhead	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Sat 12 Apr	H	Sutton Common Rovers	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Sat 19 Apr	A	Hanworth Villa	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Mon 21 Apr	H	Southall	Isthmian South Central	3pm		
Sat 26 Apr	A	Westfield	Isthmian South Central	3pm		

ISTHMIAN LEAGUE SOUTH CENTRAL DIVISION – Recent Results

Saturday 14 September 2024

Isthmian League – South Central Division


Uxbridge  4 - 0  Badshot Lea

Southall  2 - 1  Binfield

Rayners Lane  5 - 0  Raynes Park Vale

Kingstonian  2 - 1  Hartley Wintney

Horndean  1 - 1  Hayes & Yeading United

Hanworth Villa  1 - 0  Guernsey

Farnham Town  4 - 0  Harrow Borough

Ascot United  3 - 0  Metropolitan Police

Friday 13 September 2024

Isthmian League – South Central Division

Sutton Common Rovers  0 - 1  Westfield

Wednesday 11 September 2024

Isthmian League – South Central Division

Guernsey  0 - 3  Leatherhead

Tuesday 10 September 2024

Isthmian League – South Central Division

Westfield  4 - 1  Horndean

Raynes Park Vale  1 - 2  Sutton Common Rovers

Metropolitan Police  2 - 1  Southall

Hayes & Yeading United  1 - 2  Hanworth Villa









Harrow Borough  2 - 0  Rayners Lane

Badshot Lea  0 - 0  South Park Reigate

ISTHMIAN LEAGUE SOUTH CENTRAL DIVISION – Upcoming Fixtures

Tuesday 17 September 2024

Isthmian League – South Central Division

Farnham Town		19:45		Westfield
Hartley Wintney		19:30		Rayners Lane
Horndean		19:45		Kingstonian
Uxbridge		19:45		Hanworth Villa

Wednesday 18 September 2024

Isthmian League – South Central Division

Southall		19:45		Ashford Town (Middlesex)
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Saturday 21 September 2024

Isthmian League – South Central Division

Ashford Town (Middlesex)		P - P		Kingstonian
Badshot Lea		15:00		Sutton Common Rovers
Binfield		15:00		Hanworth Villa
Farnham Town		15:00		Ashford Town (Middlesex)
Harrow Borough		P - P		Horndean
Hayes & Yeading United		15:00		South Park Reigate
Metropolitan Police		15:00		Rayners Lane
Moneyfields		P - P		Leatherhead
Raynes Park Vale		P - P		Farnham Town

ISTHMIAN LEAGUE SOUTH CENTRAL DIVISION MATCH GRID

	ASC	ASH	BAD	BIN	FAR	GUE	HAN	HAR	HAR	HAY	HOR	KIN	LEA	MET	MON	RAY	RAY	SOU	SOU	SUT	UXB	WES
ASC		5/4	21/4	1/1	22/3	14/12	18/1	1/2	5/11	16/11	8/2		26/10	14/9	12/10	30/11	28/9	28/12	8/3	31/8	22/2	12/4
ASH	11/1		29/3	21/12	10/9	7/12	1/1	28/12	31/8	15/3	25/1	21/9	9/11	19/10	12/4	1/3	5/10	15/2		2/11	23/11	21/4
BAD	26/12	18/1		12/10	10/8	5/4	1/2	14/12	22/2	19/4	26/8	8/2	22/3	4/1	8/3	23/11	26/4	10/9	26/10	21/9	9/11	30/11
BIN	26/8	22/3	15/2		26/4	19/4	21/9	30/11	1/2	4/1	10/8	23/11	26/12	18/1	5/4	14/12	1/3	2/11	9/11	5/10	9/9	19/10
FAR	21/12	5/11	28/12			8/2	30/11	14/9	21/4	11/1	26/10	12/4	22/2	28/9	1/1	1/2	16/11	15/3	12/10	29/3	8/3	31/8
GUE	15/3	1/2	12/1	31/8	5/10		9/11	24/8	28/12	2/11	23/11	21/4	11/9	1/3	30/11	16/2	19/10	21/12	13/4	1/1	21/9	29/3
HAN	29/3	26/8	7/12	16/11	25/1	14/9		19/10	11/1	5/11	26/4	21/12	4/1	26/12	28/9	2/11	10/8	5/10	15/3	1/3	19/4	15/2
HAR	7/12	10/8	15/3	25/1	9/11	26/4	22/2		29/3	26/12	21/9	8/3	12/10	19/4	26/10	10/9	4/1	11/1	8/2	23/11	26/8	21/12
HAR	10/9	19/4	19/10	7/12	26/12	10/8	5/4	18/1		1/3	4/1	9/11	26/4	5/10	14/12	26/8	22/3	21/9	23/11	12/10	25/1	2/11
HAY	21/9	14/12	31/8	12/4	5/4	8/3	10/9	21/4	26/10		9/11	12/10	23/11	22/3	22/2	18/1	30/11		1/1	28/12	8/2	1/2
HOR	5/10	30/11	1/1	28/12	1/3	28/9	24/8	16/11	12/4	14/9		31/8	1/2	2/11	21/4	19/10	15/2	29/3	21/12	11/1	15/3	5/11
KIN	26/4	16/11	5/10	28/9	4/1	26/12	22/3	2/11	14/9	15/2	19/4		18/1	14/12	6/11	5/4	26/8	30/11	1/2	19/10	10/8	1/3
LEA	1/3	14/9	21/12	21/4	19/10	5/11	12/4	15/2	24/8	28/9	7/12	29/3		25/1	16/11	5/10	2/11	31/8	28/12	15/3	11/1	1/1
MET	9/11	22/2	12/4	29/3	23/11	26/10	21/4	31/8	8/2	21/12	8/3	15/3	30/11		28/12	21/9	1/2	1/1	10/9	24/8	12/10	11/1
MON	15/2	4/1	2/11	11/1	26/8	25/1	23/11	1/3	15/3	19/10	26/12	10/9	21/9	10/8		26/4	19/4	9/11	29/3	21/12	7/12	5/10
RAY	25/1	26/10	28/9	15/3	7/12	12/10	8/3	5/11	1/1	29/3	22/2	11/1	8/2	16/11			14/9	12/4	31/8	21/4	21/12	28/12
RAY	23/11	8/2	24/8	26/10	21/9	22/2	28/12	12/4	21/12	25/1	12/10	1/1	8/3	7/12	31/8	9/11		21/4	11/1	10/9	29/3	15/3
SOU	10/8	12/10	5/11	8/3	14/12	22/3	8/2	5/4	16/11	26/4	18/1	25/1	19/4	26/8	14/9	4/1	26/12		22/2	7/12	26/10	28/9
SOU	2/11	26/4	1/3	14/9	15/2	4/1	14/12	5/10	28/9	26/8	22/3	7/12	10/8	6/11	18/1	19/4	5/4	19/10		25/1	26/12	16/11
SUT	19/4	8/3	16/11	9/2	18/1	26/8	26/10	28/9	15/2	10/8	5/4	22/2	14/12	26/4	22/3	26/12	4/11	1/2	30/11		4/1	14/9
UXB	19/10	28/9	14/9	5/11	2/11	16/11	17/9	1/1	30/11	5/10	14/12	28/12	5/4	15/2	1/2	22/3	18/1	1/3	21/4	12/4		24/8
WES	4/1	26/12	25/1	22/2	19/4	18/1	12/10	22/3	8/3	7/12	10/9	26/10	26/8	5/4	8/2	10/8	14/12	23/11	21/9	9/11	26/4	

YOUTH UPDATE

Isthmian Football League U18 - West Divi

League Table

[FULL TABLE DETAIL >](#)

Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	GD	PTS
1	Aldershot Town U18 (Bostik)	1	1	0	0	6	3
2	Camberley Town (U18) Isthmian	1	1	0	0	4	3
3	Hampton & Richmond Borough FC U18 Isthmi	1	1	0	0	3	3
4	Ascot United U18 Isthmian	0	0	0	0	0	0
5	Bedfont Sports FC U18 ISTHMIAN	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	Bracknell Town U18	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	Farnham Town FC U18	1	0	0	1	-6	0
8	Hanworth Villa U18 Elite	1	0	0	1	-3	0
9	Uxbridge FC U18	1	0	0	1	-4	0

DATE	H/A	OPPONENT	COMPETITION	KO/SCORE
Mon 19 Aug	H	CAMBERLEY TOWN	Isthmian Youth League West	1-5
Wed 4 Sep	H	TRING ATHLETIC	FA Youth Cup	1-2
Mon 23 Sep	A	Hampton & Richmond Borough	Isthmian Youth League West	7.30PM
Tues 8 Oct	A	Bracknell Town	Isthmian Youth League West	7.45PM
Mon 11 Nov	H	FARNHAM TOWN	Isthmian Youth League West	7.45PM
Mon 25 Nov	H	BEDFONT SPORTS	Isthmian Youth League West	7.45PM
Tues 3 Dec	A	ASCOT UNITED	Isthmian Youth League West	7.45PM
Mon 9 Dec	A	BRACKNELL TOWN	Isthmian Youth League West	7.45PM
Thurs 9 Jan	A	Aldershot Town	Isthmian Youth League West	7.45PM
Weds 15 Jan	A	Farnham Town	Isthmian Youth League West	7.45PM
Mon 20 Jan	A	Camberley Town	Isthmian Youth League West	7.45PM
Mon 27 Jan	H	HANWORTH VILLA	Isthmian Youth League West	7.45PM
Mon 3 Feb	A	ASCOT UNITED	Isthmian Youth League West	7.45PM
Mon 10 Feb	A	Bedfont Sports	Isthmian Youth League West	7.45PM
Mon 17 Feb	H	ALDERSHOT TOWN	Isthmian Youth League West	7.45PM
Tues 25 Feb	A	Hanworth Villa	Isthmian Youth League West	7.45PM
Mon 3 Mar	H	HAMPTON & RICHMOND BOROUGH	Isthmian Youth League West	7.45PM

UXBRIDGE FC MANAGEMENT TEAM PROFILES 2024/25

DANNY EDWARDS – FIRST TEAM MANAGER

Previously at Chalfont St Peter for 15 seasons as manager. Oversaw the club's promotion to step 4 and an FA Vase semi-final. Danny is in his 5th season at the helm at Uxbridge, having also previously worked at Chelsea FC and Southampton FC and is an UEFA A-Licence coach.

FRED CUMMINGS – ASSISTANT MANAGER

Joined Uxbridge from Chalfont St Peter with Danny Edwards in 2019. An UEFA B Licence coach who has also held positions at Slough Town, Hemel Hempstead Town and Wealdstone. Played over 400 for Uxbridge and is a huge influence for the players.

MARTIN KUHL – COACH

Former midfielder who has over 15 years of Football League experience as a player with Birmingham City, Sheffield United, Watford, Portsmouth, Derby County, Notts County and Bristol City. As a Manager/Coach he was previously with Aldershot Town, Wycombe Wanderers, Reading, Torquay United, Basingstoke Town and Staines Town. Joined the coaching staff at Honeycroft during the 2023/24 season

JOHN CARROLL – COACH

John came from Chalfont St Peter with Danny Edwards in 2019. An UEFA B Licence coach who captained the successful Chalfont St Peter side that won promotion to step 4. Previous clubs include Beaconsfield Town and Luton Town.

SHAKA MUGHAL – GOALKEEPING COACH

As a player Shaka played for Millwall and Chalfont St Peter. A huge influence and strong personality both on and off the pitch. Also responsible for assisting with all coaching sessions.

JOSEPH PEACOCK – PHYSIO

Joined the club at the beginning of the 2022/23 season. An integral member of the management team who is responsible for players recovery. A fully qualified Physio his support is vital on matchdays.

COLIN FINCH – LOGISTICS MANAGER / CLUB SECRETARY

The most important member of the group! Without Colin's support the group is unable to operate as professionally as it does. Responsible for all key issues in and around the changing room. Previously at Chalfont St Peter, Rayners Lane and North Greenford United.

KI TURNER – VIDEOGRAPHER

Responsible for all recordings of Uxbridge FC games. Supports in and around all training sessions and on matchdays.

UXBRIDGE FC PLAYER PROFILES 2024/25

George Legg (Goalkeeper) Former Reading youngster who joined the Reds in January 2024 from Hanwell Town. Has Football and National League experience. Previous clubs include Chesham United, Gosport Borough, Hungerford Town, Barnet, Boreham Wood and Aldershot Town.

Adam Hassane (Goalkeeper) Local youngster who was previously with Hampton & Richmond Borough as part of their Youth set-up. Made his debut as a second half substitute against Ashford Town (Middlesex) in the FA Cup.

Sam Wheeler (Goalkeeper) Former trialist at Premier League Aston Villa. Sam was previously with Chesham United before signing on at Honeycroft in August 2024. Great shot stopper who made his debut at home against Westfield.

Troy Murray (Defender) Young left sided defender who made his Uxbridge debut in April 2024. Represented Reading at Youth level before joining Binfield.

Bryan Taylor (Defender) Experienced defender who is in his second season at Honeycroft, after joining from Chertsey Town at the beginning of last term. Great crosser of the ball from his natural left-back position.

Jack Mullan (Defender) Started his career with Uxbridge as part of their Youth Team. Made his Reds debut as an eighteen-year-old in November 2009. Played for current manager Danny Edwards at Chalfont St Peter and this commanding central defender has also seen service with Ashford Town (Middlesex) and Wokingham & Embrook.

Austen Edwards (Defender) Centre-half who caught the eye at previous clubs Holmer Green and Holyport. Cool and calm defender with a big future.

James Taylor (Defender) Signed on a dual-registration agreement from Chesham United in September 2024. Former Captain of Hayes & Yeading United's Under 18 Academy side. Strong commanding central defender whose previous clubs include Egham Town, Bedfont Sports, Harrow Borough and Beaconsfield Town.

Casey Boccaro (Defender/Midfield) Versatile player who is comfortable at full-back or midfield. Signed this summer from Virginia Water where he scored important goals from midfield.

Kai Hobbs (Defender) Kai joined Uxbridge on a permanent deal this summer after impressing on loan from Basingstoke Town last term. Classy right full back who looks to have a bright future in the game.

Joshua Addae (Defender) Former Crystal Palace youngster who signed for the Eagles from Langley FC. Fleet footed full-back who likes to get forward. Made his Reds debut at Kingstonian in August 2024.

Alex Witham (Midfield) Former Arsenal youngster who played alongside Jack Wilshire for the Gunners. Talented player who is in his fourth season at Honeycroft. Former player of the year who has made over 100 appearances for the Reds.

Leo Decabo (Midfield) Leo joined The Reds in September 2024 from Hartley Wintney and made an instant impact with two goals on his debut against Pheonix Sports in the FA Trophy. Scored an impressive 22 goals for Burnham last season.

Reece Robins (Midfield) Attacking midfielder who began his career at Walton Casuals. Part of the successful Leighton Town side, played at Badshot Lea last season.

Gregg Hackett (Midfield) Summer signing who played for North Leigh and Risborough Rangers last season. Previously at Thame United where he was regularly amongst the goals during his four seasons at the Oxfordshire club.

Lewis Cole (Midfield) Returned to Honeycroft last season from Harrow Borough and had a great season which saw him crowned player of the year. Combative midfielder who made his Reds debut in 2014 aged nineteen.

George Moore (Midfield) Attacking midfielder who joined us from Harrow Borough in 2023. Last seasons top scorer, which saw him voted Supporters Player of the year. Was regularly amongst the goals at Step 3.

Andrio Brandao (Midfield) Skilful, attacking midfielder who joined from Virginia Water last season. Made a big impression during the latter part of the campaign and everyone at the club is excited to watch his progress this season.

Wilson Chingoka (Midfielder) All action midfielder who joined the club in January 2024. Big personality who has experience at Step 3. Previous clubs include Nuneaton Borough, Potters Bar Town, Lewes, Bedford Town, Staines Town and Northwood.

Glenn Yala (Defender/Midfield) Played at Chalfont St Peter for Manager Danny Edwards. Vastly experienced player whose versatility makes him a managers dream. Former North Greenford United, Waltham Abbey, Aylesbury, Hanwell Town and Chertsey Town player.

Ada Okorogheye (Forward) Came through the Academy at Slough Town before moving to the United States to study and play "soccer". Played last season at step 3 with Beaconsfield Town. Scored a hat-trick on his Uxbridge debut at Cobham in the FA Cup.

Kritpac Dzimba (Forward) Exciting young attacker who joined this summer after three successful seasons at Holyport. Another youthful player who the Reds supporters are looking forward to watching his progress over the coming months.

UXBRIDGE FC CLUB HISTORY

In the late 19th century, the game of "football" was growing in popularity and on the 3rd February 1871 a group of eminent local businessmen held the inaugural meeting of Uxbridge Football Club. A local solicitor, Mr. William Gardiner, was elected as the Club's President and the club's colours were chosen as white shirts with a light blue Maltese cross and a light blue velvet cap with silver tassel. Friendly games against local opposition were played in the early years, until the FA Cup was entered in 1873. A First Round Victory over Gitanos set up a Second-Round tie against eventual finalists Royal Engineers, which the Engineers narrowly won 2-1. It was at this time that Uxbridge could boast amongst its ranks a Full England International. Hubert Heron played for England on two occasions whilst an Uxbridge player before he moved to Wanderers FC where he gained further international honours. His brother Francis, formerly of Uxbridge, also played for England after joining him at Wanderers FC. The club changed its colours to Oxford Blue and Cambridge Blue shirts in 1874, but they were in financial difficulties and folded later that year.

The main problem for Uxbridge was the lack of a permanent home ground (a problem that was to plague them until the middle of the next century), the committee searched the town for a suitable base but were thwarted at every turn and they led a nomadic existence, moving ground every few years. The enthusiasm for a team in Uxbridge was still prevalent and the Club was reformed in 1879. In 1886 Uxbridge FC amalgamated with another local club, Uxbridge Crescents, and played under this name in season 1886/87, before reverting to plain old Uxbridge the following season. It was at this time that the Red Shirts, which are still worn today, were adopted and the nickname "The Reds" was born. Their first trophy was won in 1889 when they lifted the West Middlesex Cup, defeating Colnbrook 1-0 in the Final. The end of the 19th century was a particularly successful period for The Reds as they won the West Middlesex Cup on three further occasions and also won the prestigious Middlesex Senior Cup twice. In 1894 they beat the 3rd Grenadier Guards 2-0 and repeated that success two years later with a 3-2 victory over local rivals Southall in a replay in front of over 5000 spectators. The outstanding achievement however was in reaching the final of the F.A. Amateur Cup in 1898. This was the club's first season in the competition, and they had to win eight ties before meeting Middlesborough in the final at Crystal Palace. Unfortunately, their Northeast rivals proved too strong for them on the day and ran out 2-0 winners. During this successful period for the club, they became founder members of Division Two of the Southern League in 1894, finishing fourth in their first four seasons. However, in season 1898/99 they finished next to bottom and the dwindling crowds (averaging around 500) meant that financially the club was once again in trouble. A decision was therefore taken to withdraw from the Southern League and join the local Middlesex League to try and stabilise the club. However, a majority of the more talented players joined other clubs, and they struggled in their new surroundings, finishing bottom with only one point from their 14 games. At the end of the season the club had a deficit of £130 and with few players the club once again folded.

For two years much fund raising amongst the local community finally saw the club's debts paid and the reformed Uxbridge FC joined the West Middlesex League for the 1902/03 season. In 1904 the Great Western Suburban League was entered and here they stayed until the outbreak of the First World War. Their best finish during this period was as Runners-up to Brentford Reserves in 1910/11. They also won the Middlesex Charity Cup on two occasions in 1908 and 1913, as they looked to re-establish themselves as a force in the football world. Following the end of hostilities Uxbridge joined the Athenian League and added "Town" to their name. An unsuccessful first Athenian League campaign saw them relegated back to the Great Western Suburban League in 1920.

A successful four seasons saw them back in the Athenian League in 1924 where they remained until 1937. The Middlesex Charity Cup was won for the third time in 1935 as Finchley were beaten 4-3.

Two poor seasons saw them finish bottom of the Athenian League in 1936 and 1937 and the club failed to be re-elected. They joined the Spartan League for the 1937/38 season, dropping "Town" from their name at the end of the campaign stood proudly at the summit. Championship celebrations, however, were cut short when it was discovered that The Reds had played an ineligible player and were deduced six points, placing them in third position behind Champions Marlow.

Following the debacle of their one and only season in the Spartan League they resigned and joined the London League prior to the Second World War. During the war years they continued to play and joined the newly formed Great Western Combination League before re-joining the London League in 1945, finishing as Runners-up to Edgware Town.

Uxbridge were founder members of the Corinthian League in 1946 and remained in this league for the next seventeen years. Finally, in 1948, after over three quarters of a century of searching, a ground of their own was purchased. A piece of land in Cleveland Road, Cowley was bought for £5,800 by then President Mr. W.S. Try. The ground was named after a large house that stood on the land and "Honeycroft" was the new home of Uxbridge Football Club. During this period, they won their only Championship to-date when they were crowned Corinthian League Champions at the end of the 1959/60 season. They also won the Middlesex Senior Cup for the third time in 1951 when they defeated Hayes 2-1.

This was a successful period in the club's history as they finished in the top five of the Corinthian League on no less than eight occasions and crowds were averaging around the thousand mark. A re-organisation of non-League football saw the end of the Corinthian League in 1963, and the club found itself once again in Division One of the Athenian League. This was a lean time for The Reds, they were relegated to Division Two in 1967 and financial problems once again beset them. They gained national publicity in 1976 when England were looking for a side to play as part of their warmup for the forthcoming World Cup campaign. Uxbridge took on a full-strength England at Wembley, losing 8-0. The ground problems that had blighted Uxbridge throughout their history surfaced once again and the club had to find a new home. In 1978 they moved to their current headquarters in Horton Road, Yiewsley. A former works Sports & Social Club they have developed the site to the superb standard you see today.

Over the past 43 years they have added floodlights (opened by the visit of Arsenal in 1981), new stands, fencing and in more recent times a new clubhouse was opened and car park laid. On the playing front the club won the Middlesex Charity Cup for the fourth time in 1982, their first silverware for 31 years, and moved to the Isthmian League in the same year, winning promotion to Division One in 1985. The Final of the AC Delco Cup (League Cup) was reached in 1986, where they met Premier Division Champions Sutton United. The Reds failed to stop Sutton completing "The Double" though, losing 3-1 in the Final in front of over a thousand spectators at Imber Court, the home of Metropolitan Police FC, Uxbridge entered the London Challenge Cup for the first time in the 1992/93 season and hence followed a love affair between the Reds and the magnificent trophy. In the eight seasons they entered the competition they reached five finals, winning on three occasions in 1994, 1997 and 2000.

They won the Middlesex Senior Cup for the fourth time in 2001, defeating Harrow Borough 3-0 in the Final held at Honeycroft. In 2004 the club were moved across the pyramid to the Southern League and have reached the Play-Offs on three occasions. In 2004/05 they lost on penalties, after leading Maldon Town in extra-time, in 2007/08 they narrowly lost 0-1 at Oxford City and in 2011/12 they lost 2-1 at Bedworth United in the Semi-Finals. In 2018 Uxbridge were moved back across the pyramid, re-joining the Isthmian League in the South-Central Division.

In 2019 Uxbridge appointed only their sixth manager in over fifty years. Ron Clack was in charge for 18 years from 1970, followed by Peter Marshall for one season, Michael Harvey for three, before George Talbot took the reins for fourteen seasons in 1992. In 2006 Tony Choules became the man in charge, being replaced by our current manager Danny Edwards in 2019. Danny is a UEFA A licensed coach who spent 15 years as manager of Chalfont St Peter AFC. He steered Chalfont St Peter to Step 4 of the league system in 2011, as well as reaching the 3rd Qualifying Round of the Football Association Challenge Cup on three occasions. Danny has with him a confident team which includes Fred Cummings as his Assistant Manager. Fred is well known to the followers of the Red Army as a combative centre half with 320 First Team appearances for Uxbridge in the 1980's. The Middlesex Chairty Cup was won for the 8th time in 2022, with a 2-0 victory over Hanwell Town. This feat was repeated last season when North Greenford United were defeated 2-1 in the final at Bedfont Sports.

In recent times the club has mourned the passing of several club stalwarts. President Alan Odell, who had been associated with The Reds for eighty years, in 2016. Chairman Alan Holloway in 2021 and the club's long-standing Treasurer, David Tucker, passed away in 2022. "Mr. Uxbridge" had been associated with the club for over 50 years and was a massive influence in the running of Uxbridge Football Club.

From his legacy the club have been able to undertake the installation of a state-of-the-art 3G pitch, upgraded LED floodlights, a new 158-seat stand, dug-outs and both pitch-surround and perimeter fencing. More improvements are planned!

Watch this space!



Hanworth Villa Player Profiles

Guy Ansah-Palmer Defender

Guy is Hanworth's longest serving outfield player, having signed for Villa back in March 2019 from North Greenford United. He has previously been part of the Great Britain Medical Football team. Away from football Guy is a Locum Speciality Doctor working in the demanding area of Mental Wellbeing.

Louis Collins - Defender

Louis signed for Hanworth at the start of the 2023/24 season having previously played for Leatherhead and Kingstonian. His early career saw him rise up through the Academy ranks at Walton & Hersham, making his debut for the Swans in 2021.

Theo Crawford - Midfielder

Signed at the start of the 2021/22 season from Guildford City. A pivotal part of Villa's 'Invincibles' Combined Counties League championship winning side of 2021/22.

Theo Curtis - Defender

Theo is a member of the Under 18's side, and recently signed first team forms. He made his debut for the First XI against Margate in the FA Trophy.

Rayan Djouadj - Defender

Former Hampton & Richmond Borough Academy player. Signed from Spelthorne Sports during the Summer of 2023. A competent start to his career with Villa has seen him become a regular starter at centre-back.

Shane Dunne - Midfielder

Signed during the summer from Hampton & Richmond Borough. Previous to joining the Beavers he spent two years in Australia playing for Goulbourn Valley Suns. Born in County Meath Shane played for a number of Clubs in his native Ireland. He has won the League of Ireland First Division with Wexford, achieving promotion to the Premier Division. He has also represented Irish Colleges at the 2017 World University Games in Taiwan.

Ben Geraghty - Midfielder

Signed for Hanworth Villa during the Summer of 2022 from near neighbours, Ashford Town. One of the first names on the team sheet, which has seen him total near to 75 appearances with Villa to date.

Christian Jolley - Midfielder

Profile Christian has come out of retirement having signed for Villa during the Summer. He started his career at Oxted and District before earning a trial at Kingstonian. He signed a contract in December 2009, breaking into the first team with the K's narrowly missing out on promotion via the play-offs that season. In 2010 he joined AFC Wimbledon, with the Dons' winning promotion to the Football League via the play-offs. January 2013 saw him sign for Newport County helping them reach the play-off final that season, Christian scoring the first goal in their 2-0 victory against Wrexham and being named in the 2012/13 Team of the Year. He joined Grimsby Town in January 2015, before moving on to National League South side Margate in June, where he spent one season. Christian joined Hampton & Richmond Borough at the start of the 2016/17 season. Woking snapped him up during the summer of 2018, where he remained before announcing his retirement from playing. His coaching saw him remain at Woking before moving on to Dartford in 2022 until his departure towards the end of last season.

Conrad Knight - Goalkeeper

16-year-old Conrad has signed first team forms for the 2024/25 season. He has dual signed for Cobham in the Combined Counties League to gain senior match time. A great shot stopper who was captain of the local Hampton School, winning two County Cups and the prestigious English Schools FA Cup in 2023. Made his First XI debut against Margate in the FA Trophy.

Finlay Macnab - Midfielder

Finlay began his career in the youth system at Brentford, before signing a professional contract with AFC Wimbledon in 2019, he went on to make his debut for the club in a EFL Trophy match against Southend United. He was released at the end of the season following the expiration of his contract. He then had a spell out of the game due to suffering the effects from long covid. August 2022, Macnab returned to football, joining Kings Langley. Hanworth was his next call in February 2023 scoring 5 goals in 14 appearances, where he stayed until joining Hendon in September 2023. Finlay returned to Hanworth Villa during the summer of 2024.

Ali Mansaray Defender

Ali broke through the Dartford Academy signing first team forms in 2022 under Alan Dowson. Signed for Hanworth during the Summer of 2024 after impressing during Pre-Season trials.

Sam Mead Midfielder

Sam signed during the Summer of 2023 from The Sumas. Another player that was fast-tracked into the starting XI, and has since shown incredible midfield performances which sees him in a starting position week in week out. An old head on young shoulders, saw Sam captain the Wokingham side at the age of just 18, turning them from relegation candidates to mid table safety in just 6 months.

Sam Merson Forward

Sam was signed in the summer of 2020 having played the previous four seasons at St Albans City. While at Clarence Park he totalled 48 goals in 165 appearances. Previous clubs include Biggleswade Town, Redditch United and Boreham Wood. Sam is the son of former Arsenal favourite Paul Merson.

Alfie Mewes Midfielder

A product of the Hanworth Villa Youth system, Alfie has signed first team forms for the 2024/5 season. Made his debut when coming on as substitute against Margate in the FA Trophy.

Josh Millo Midfielder

Josh is a recent signing for Villa, having joined from Merstham. Previously with Sandhurst Town and Wokingham & Emmbrook, where he was team-mate of Sam Mead.

Kyen Nicholas Forward

Kyen signed for Hanworth in December 2022 from Hartley Wintney. He has had previous spells at Hendon and Walton Casuals. A prolific goalscorer, wherever he has played, and has notched up more than a goal every other game with Villa. A Personal Trainer away from football.

Aston Nunn Defender/Midfielder

A tenacious left sided player. As a teenager, Aston fought off Leukaemia, having been diagnosed in September 2019. He then joined the Hampton & Richmond Borough Academy set-up, before moving on to join Hanworth in October 2022.

Liam O'Neill Midfielder

Liam signed for Hanworth during the Summer of 2024 after impressing during the Pre- Season. A product of the Hampton & Richmond Borough Academy, has also had a spell with the Walton & Hersham Allied Counties Youth set-up.

Manny Parry Defender

A seasoned centre-back, having made over 150 appearances in the National League with among others, Maidenhead United, Boreham Wood & Woking. Manny signed for Hanworth from Dulwich Hamlet during the Summer of 2024.

Quincy Patterson Defence/Midfielder

Young Quincy was signed as emergency cover for the trip to Guernsey in March of 2024 having been part of the Hanworth Villa youth system, but his tenacious performances have earned him a regular first team squad position. Scored his first senior goal in the recent win over Ashford Town (Middx).

Harvey Rackley-Hayes Goalkeeper

Signed in January 2024 as goalkeeper cover, having been released by Binfield. As a schoolboy Harvey gained 7 caps for the English national side.

Dylan Randall Forward

Dylan was part of the Hampton & Richmond Borough Academy, and made his breakthrough into the first team in 2018. After a number of trials with Football League Clubs Dylan admittedly fell out of love with the game. Manager Simon Haughney persuaded him to don his boots once again during the summer of 2024, and has looked to be enjoying his time back, scoring his first goal for the club coming on as substitute against Abbey Rangers in the FA Cup.

Bruno Robertson-Tingle Midfielder

A former member of the Old Tiffinians Football Club, Bruno signed for Hanworth in 2019 from Walton & Hersham. Now the second longest serving member of the Villa side. Outside of football Bruno can be seen flying the world modelling for sports magazines.

Mark Smith Goalkeeper

Profile Mark joined Hanworth during the summer of 2024, having spent the previous campaign at Bedford Town. Smudger spent his early years within the youth system of Brentford, before joining Aldershot Town in 2016. He then signed for Eastbourne Borough in 2018. Spells at Billericay Town, Dartford, Woking, Hampton & Richmond Borough and Salisbury then followed. He was then signed by Bedford Town in September 2023 as cover, but ended up cementing his place as the Eagles number one.

George Wells Defender

Profile Highly experienced central defender, having played in the National League with Maidenhead United and National League South with Slough Town. Was something of a coup signing in December 2022, when he was snapped up from Slough. Not adverse to scoring the odd goal here and there.



History of Hanworth Villa FC

The club is experiencing our third consecutive season in Isthmian South-Central League, our highest place in the football pyramid. In our first season at this level, we reached fourth place, which led to us securing a play-off final place where we lost to Walton and Hershaw. Last season, in a campaign punctuated with postponements and injuries we achieved seventh place. We're hoping to once again to see ourselves in the top quarter of the table, but time will tell.

We've come a long way...

1976: Formation

Hanworth Villa was formed in 1976. In the early years, the team struggled in Division one of the Hounslow & District League, and scoring a goal was usually celebrated with a public holiday. During a close season, following hard work by Jimmy Connors, the team was completely rebuilt and this led to them finishing as Division 1 Champions.

The following Season saw the club start an incredible run in the league, which finished 68 matches later, with the club winning the Hounslow Premier League and the West Middlesex Division's one and two championships. The success continued with Hanworth being elected to the newly formed Middlesex County Football League in 1984/1985.

1997: The move to Rectory Meadow

From 1980 the club had a nomadic existence but in 1997 moved to their current headquarters at Rectory Meadow. This move led to the formation of Hanworth Villa Sunday and a new reserve team, being an amalgamation of teams from The Sawyers Arms, The Queen Dowager and Feltham Railway Club. A Chiswick League double in 1992/1993 and a 19-0 Cup Final victory in the National Railways Cup cemented the successful amalgamation.

Following hard work by Dave Brown the club was granted a lease at Rectory Meadow. At last the team had a permanent home and could set about converting an existing pavilion into a clubhouse, which has become known as the 'Ranch'.

With a permanent base, Villa were also able to concentrate on improving the level of football, and in 2002/2003 a notable performance by the Saturday first team was to win 'the treble' of the Middlesex County Premier Cup, the Open Cup and the Middlesex County League. After another Premier League title in 2004/2005, with a record number of points, it was decided to move on and the club were elected to Division 1 of the Combined Counties League in 2005/2006.

2005 onwards

It took a while to adapt to the new level of football, but in the second season they managed to win the Challenge Cup. The following season, 2007/2008, the team managed to successfully defend the Challenge Cup and also narrowly miss out on the league title, finishing a credible second. However the lack of facilities at the 'Ranch' prevented promotion to the Premier Division.

The club were determined to ensure that the situation should not arise again and with typical determination the committee managed to raise the funds to ensure that floodlights and a spectator stand were installed in time for the 2008/2009 campaign. The effort was not in vain as once again the team finished second and following a successful ground inspection Hanworth Villa were promoted to the Combined Counties Premier League for the 2009/2010 season.

2009: Combined Counties Premier League

The debut season was as expected difficult with points being few and far between and it was not until the second half of the campaign that the team came to terms with the standard of football required. By the end of the season the team had collected enough points to finish 17th, three points clear of relegation.

The first season taught the club a lot and changes were put in place to allow for a more comfortable second season, in which not only did the team finish in 5th position in the league, but also reached the finals of the Middlesex Senior Charity Cup and the Southern Combination Cup. Unfortunately they were to lose in both.

2011/12: Up for the cups

The 2011/2012 season will live long in the memory of all concerned at the club as being their most successful in national competition. In the FA Cup the team, after victories over Shrivenham, Bedfont Sports, Wembley, Aveley and Slough, lined up against AFC Totten for a place in the 1st Round proper, a rare achievement for a team competing at national level 9. In a very close encounter AFC won 3-2.

In the FA Vase the team reached the third round losing to Herne Bay, one of the beaten semi-finalists that year.

2013/14: Double success

In 2013/2014 the team were successful in achieving a double, in winning both the Middlesex Premier League Cup and the Southern Combination Cup.

2015/16: Enter Rufus Brevett as manager

At the end of the 2015/16 season the club appointed former Queens Park Rangers and Fulham defender Rufus Brevett as their new manager. Rufus had previously managed at Arlesey Town and had coached at Banbury United.

Under the Management of Rufus and his team, Bobby Watson, Carl Cleaver and Cliff Angol the team won the Middlesex Senior Charity Cup with a 3 – 2 win over Spelthorne Sports. It was the second occasion in three years that the team have won this trophy.

2018: Louis Carder-Walcott becomes the manager

In December 2018, by mutual agreement, Rufus Brevett stepped down as first team Manager with Louis Carder-Walcott, previously Assistant Manager at Westfield FC, being appointed shortly after.

Following a poor run of form at the start of the 2019/20 and with no positive signs of recovery it was, by mutual agreement, decided that Louis would step down as Manager of the club.

2019: Simon Haughney takes the reigns

In November 2019 the manager position was filled by Simon Haughney with his management team of Paul Thomas and Leon Solomon.

The players responded well to this new team and with the addition of several new signings performed well, despite the distractions of the Covid pandemic. Not only did they remain unbeaten in the ten matches played during the suspended 2020-21 season, they also set a new club record by progressing to the last 16 of the F A Vase, narrowly losing to Long Eaton United on penalties.

2020/21 Champions, promotion and unbeaten throughout the season

Last season proved to be the greatest in the history of Hanworth Villa FC and, in winning the inaugural Combined Counties North Premier Division and with it promotion to the Isthmian League, the club achieved their highest position in senior football since the formation in 1976. The most remarkable record of all is, however, that the team remained unbeaten throughout the league season.

2021/22 First year in the Isthmian South Central

Once again, following promotion, the team had to come to terms with competing at a higher level within the NLS. Having kept most of the Invincibles squad from the previous season Simon, Paul and Leon added some additional experience within the squad and although through early loss of form and key injuries the team slowly began to get to grips with football at step 4 within the NLS. As the season progressed so did the team and the results culminating with a 2-1 victory over Northwood in April 22 to clinch 4th in the IFL South Central Division and a semi final play off game away to Marlow. A tense tie was

1-1 going into the last minute of the game when George Wells stepped up and clinched the tie with a fine goal.

Having won through to the final all that stood between Hanworth Villa and back to back promotions was Walton & Hersham, one of Simon and Paul's previous clubs. In front of a 2,500 crowd at the EXCEL stadium in Walton Villa took a first half lead but could not hold onto to it eventually going down 3-1.

2023/24 Seventh place finish

Hanworth Villa retained the services of Simon & Paul for the new 2023/24 season in the face of many approaches from many clubs for their services and look to build on the success of recent years.

After a difficult season with a large number of games postponed Villa found themselves playing a large number of games in a short space of time towards the end of the season and finished a creditable seventh.

The 2023/24 season was also notable with Gary Brunning, so instrumental in driving the club to the dizzy heights of the NLS step 4, stepping down as chairman being replaced by James Connor, Ex-Millwall professional footballer, and son of the original founder Jimmy Connor who's vision and drive will take the club further up the NLS pyramid. Gary Brunning moves up to Joint President of Hanworth Villa sharing the position with Jimmy Connor.

It should be noted that Gary Brunning not only drove the development of the club over the past 35 years but also gave unswerving service to the club as a player playing a big part of our achievements between 1978 and our eventual promotion to step 6 and the Combined Counties FL playing first team football well into his 40's. He was approached many times to play higher up the football pyramid by higher ranked teams but remained loyal to Hanworth Villa over all those years and for this the club will always be grateful.

Honours

- 2002/03 Middlesex County League Champions
- Middlesex Federation League Cup Winners
- Alec Smith Middlesex County Premier Division Cup Winners
- 2004/05 Middlesex County League Champions
- 2006/07 Combined Counties League Division One Cup Winners
- 2007/08 Combined Counties League Division One Cup Winners
- 2011/12 Southern Combination Cup Winners
- 2013/14 Combined Counties Premier Challenge Cup Winners
- Southern Combination Cup Winners
- 2015/16 Middlesex Senior Charity Cup Winners
- 2017/18 Middlesex Senior Charity Cup Winners
- 2021/22 Combined Counties League Premier Division North Champions

