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London Spartan League Premier Division runners-up:	1990
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Hellenic League Premier Division Cup finalist:	1982
Hellenic League Division One Cup winners:	1979
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IAN'S INSIGHT

WITH WOODS CHAIRMAN,
IAN BARRY



Good afternoon and welcome to the Skyline Roofing Stadium and our C & G Scaffolding Ltd sponsored Clubhouse for today's Pitching In Isthmian League fixture. We extend that welcome to our visitors today from South Park (Reigate) FC and trust they enjoy their short stay here.

On the pitch, whilst it seems like an age since we hosted a game here, again it's been a tale of not picking up too many points away from home this season that's ultimately cost us being a few positions higher in the league. With recent defeats at Southall and Corinthian-Casuals as well as a point at Met Police on Tuesday, these are really games I think we should be winning.

Illness has meant I wasn't able to make the journey to either Corinthian Casuals or Met Police; both games I was actually looking forward to watching. With yet another three away games after today, then our final game here at home to Ascot two weeks today, we are looking to pick up

points to finish the season well.

Probably feeling a bit sorry for myself as I type these notes at 5am on Wednesday morning following another night of no sleep, I am certainly reflecting on what has been a tough season in one way or another and whilst we certainly haven't made certain things public, most of you know the challenges we have faced this season, which no one could have predicted. I make a lot of the fact that we are a family here and in families sometimes things don't go smoothly, but when this happens everyone rallies around and you somehow pull through; this has been the case this season for me certainly and I'm sure for one or two others. It's at these times that people 'step up to the plate' and this has certainly happened. It's made me very humble, even maybe a little quieter than I usually am, but also very proud and grateful of what he have here.

Our Under 18s have enjoyed a very good season and are very close to hopefully securing the league title and

with it a place in the Champions Cup (with a game here if this happens) and another semi-final, with this game being at Didcot Town on Monday night. A massive well done to them!

Enjoy the game today and please make every effort to bring everyone down to our final home game here against Ascot United on the 27th April where we can all have a couple of drinks together afterwards at the presentation evening. It was lovely to see a good turnout for the funeral of Dave Gahan recently; especially the contingent from his NFC family in what was a very fitting tribute to a lovely man. We thank Dave's family for their very kind words about the club and what it meant to Dave as well as having some of our own words read out at the service. His memory will live on. As my late good friend and ex Manager of ours, Gordon Boateng, always said "Believe and Achieve". I miss him.

Up The Woods!

ian

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DIRECT FROM THE MANAGEMENT

WITH MANAGER BEN BUKOWSKI



Good afternoon, Woods fans,

After a two-week period where three away games came our way, two of which were very difficult journeys, I want to thank all of you who came and supported us.

Over the course of these three matches, I think it's highlighted a lot of our main problems this year. My view is that our consistency has been nowhere near good enough as a whole this season. Last year, we would back up wins with wins, we would grind out a win and we could nick draws on days we weren't at the races. Sadly, it's one of those times where you say this year we don't really know which Northwood may turn up.

The Southall game is always going to be tough but I thought we started very well and scored a brilliant goal. Unfortunately, we couldn't adapt to their three changes just after half-time and did not pick up their forwards in our box towards the end of the game. It was a game that I felt we most definitely should have got

at least a point from. However, we have been there last year when you are in the play-offs and desperately need to win, so credit to Southall as they pushed us the whole way and snatched all three points.

On Saturday, the game against the Casuals was one that frustrated me the most. A team that's been struggling for a long period who I have to also give credit to as I felt they were fully deserved of taking three points off us. I think their attitude and belief to win the game was great for a team that's been on the back of some difficult times recently. We had a dreadful start, one in which I stressed to the players before the game should not be allowed, as giving them any slight hope and growth in confidence would be dangerous. I was very pleased to see Archie James on the scoresheet for us, a young player that's been working extremely hard for his chance since he has come into the group.

Tuesday's fixture at Met Police was described by Sean Moore as a very entertaining 0-0. I have to agree fully with him as I thought both teams had good chances to win the game. I believe we controlled the game for large periods and our lack of composure in the final third meant a draw is all we could come back with.

One negative as we approach today's game is that the treatment room has been very busy and we are hoping some of those who have occupied it recently can be involved today so fingers crossed.

With two home games left, we will be doing all we can to ensure points are gained from both.

Thank you for your continued support!

Up the Woods!

Ben



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TODAY IN THE PITCHING IN ISTHMIAN LEAGUE

TODAYS FIXTURES

SOUTH CENTRAL

Ashford Town [Middx] vs Corinthian-Casuals
 Badshot Lea vs Sutton Common Rovers
 Chertsey Town vs Ascot United
 Chipstead vs Hanworth Villa
 Guernsey vs Binfield
 Marlow vs Westfield
 Metropolitan Police vs Thatcham Town
Northwood vs South Park (Reigate)
 Raynes Park Vale vs Hartley Wintney
 Uxbridge vs Southall

PREMIER

Billericay Town vs Cheshunt
 Canvey Island vs Dulwich Hamlet
 Carshalton Athletic vs Bognor Regis Town
 Chatham Town vs Folkestone Invicta
 Enfield Town vs Potters Bar Town
 Hashtag United vs Concord Rangers
 Hastings United vs Whitehawk
 Horsham vs Cray Wanderers
 Lewes vs Kingstonian
 Margate vs Hornchurch
 Wingate & Finchley vs Haringey Borough

NORTH

Basildon United vs Bowers & Pitsea
 Brightlingsea Regent vs Heybridge Swifts
 Enfield vs Ipswich Wanderers
 Felixstowe & Walton Utd vs Witham Town
 Grays Athletic vs Stowmarket Town
 Maldon & Tiptree vs New Salamis
 Redbridge vs Gorleston
 Walthamstow vs Bury Town
 Wroxham vs Brentwood Town

SOUTH EAST

Ashford United vs Chichester City
 Burgess Hill Town vs Broadbridge Heath
 East Grinstead Town vs Beckenham Town
 Herne Bay vs Sheppey United
 Horndean vs Merstham
 Hythe Town vs Phoenix Sports
 Ramsgate vs Cray Valley PM
 Sevenoaks Town vs Littlehampton Town
 Sittingbourne vs Lancing

South Central		HOME						AWAY						GD	Pts
#	Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	P	W	D	L	F	A		
1	Chertsey Town*	37	13	5	0	46	17	15	3	1	50	13	66	91	
2	Marlow	36	12	1	5	52	21	14	1	3	44	24	51	80	
3	Leatherhead	37	12	4	3	32	11	13	1	4	32	17	36	80	
4	Raynes Park Vale	36	11	3	3	30	17	11	3	5	34	27	20	72	
5	Southall	36	14	1	4	44	19	8	4	5	26	22	29	71	
6	Westfield	35	11	4	3	34	22	9	4	4	34	26	20	68	
7	South Park (Reigate)	38	10	5	4	41	27	6	5	8	27	32	9	58	
8	Hanworth Villa	35	7	5	5	33	29	8	5	5	35	24	15	55	
9	Thatcham Town	37	9	4	6	36	24	6	4	8	31	38	5	53	
10	Badshot Lea	34	6	4	5	29	26	8	5	6	29	29	3	51	
11	Hartley Wintney	35	7	5	6	25	26	8	1	8	35	40	-6	51	
12	Uxbridge	36	11	2	6	45	28	4	3	10	20	33	4	50	
13	Ascot United	37	6	4	9	28	32	6	2	10	24	28	-8	42	
14	Northwood	35	9	1	8	43	27	2	4	11	17	31	2	38	
15	Sutton Common Rovers	37	7	2	10	26	32	3	5	10	22	34	-18	37	
16	Metropolitan Police	36	4	5	9	20	30	4	4	10	15	30	-25	33	
17	Guernsey	35	5	2	9	28	37	4	3	12	28	43	-24	32	
18	Ashford Town [Middx]	36	3	3	12	19	35	5	3	10	18	29	-27	30	
19	Chipstead	37	5	2	11	26	37	3	3	13	18	40	-33	29	
20	Binfield	34	2	4	10	18	33	3	3	12	22	66	-59	22	
21	Corinthian-Casuals	35	3	3	13	15	44	1	3	12	13	44	-60	18	

Premier	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	Pts
1 Hornchurch	38	28	7	3	90	29	61	91
2 Chatham Town	39	23	6	10	82	56	26	75
3 Enfield Town	38	20	10	8	73	50	23	70
4 Wingate & Finchley	39	21	7	11	73	60	13	70
5 Horsham	37	20	7	10	56	46	10	67
6 Billericay Town	39	20	4	15	69	47	22	64
7 Hastings United	38	18	9	11	68	49	19	63
8 Carshalton Athletic	39	17	10	12	69	51	18	61
9 Hashtag United	39	15	13	11	76	67	9	58
10 Dulwich Hamlet	39	16	10	13	70	63	7	58
11 Lewes	38	16	7	15	58	67	-9	55
12 Bognor Regis Town	38	13	13	12	62	58	3	52
13 Whitehawk	37	13	13	11	55	52	3	52
14 Potters Bar Town	35	13	9	13	57	55	2	48
15 Folkestone Invicta	38	13	9	16	56	61	-5	48
16 Cray Wanderers	39	12	11	16	47	57	-10	47
17 Canvey Island	37	13	5	19	53	69	-16	44
18 Cheshunt	38	11	6	21	52	64	-12	39
19 Margate	38	8	9	21	42	71	-29	33
20 Haringey Borough	38	5	9	24	28	81	-53	24
21 Kingstonian	38	5	6	27	53	92	-39	21
22 Concord Rangers	37	5	6	26	29	72	-43	21

North	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	Pts
1 Lowestoft Town	34	24	3	7	87	38	49	75
2 Bowers & Pitsea	33	22	4	7	66	42	24	70
3 Felixstowe & Walton	33	20	8	5	71	38	33	68
4 Bury Town	33	20	7	6	80	45	35	67
5 Brentwood Town	32	19	6	7	65	30	35	63
6 Walthamstow	34	17	7	10	59	47	11	58
7 Heybridge Swifts	33	16	8	9	49	41	8	56
8 Brightlingsea Regent	33	17	2	14	62	48	14	53
9 Basildon United	32	15	4	13	60	54	6	49
10 Maldon & Tiptree	34	15	3	16	63	58	5	48
11 Gorleston	33	12	8	13	53	48	5	44
12 Wroxham	33	11	9	13	44	46	-2	42
13 Witham Town	33	10	9	14	50	58	-8	39
14 Redbridge	30	9	8	13	44	53	-9	35
15 New Salamis	33	9	7	17	54	71	-17	34
16 Grays Athletic	32	7	6	19	39	60	-21	27
17 Ipswich Wanderers	32	7	4	21	32	66	-34	25
18 Enfield	32	5	3	24	29	79	-50	18
19 Stowmarket Town	33	0	6	27	30	114	-84	6
20 East Thurrock United	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

South East	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	Pts
1 Ramsgate	35	27	4	4	99	35	64	85
2 Cray Valley PM	34	26	7	1	91	28	63	85
3 Sittingbourne	34	20	8	6	76	34	42	68
4 Chichester City	35	20	5	10	75	35	40	65
5 Three Bridges	35	19	7	9	92	66	26	64
6 Lancing	35	18	5	12	64	61	3	59
7 Herne Bay	35	16	10	9	68	54	14	58
8 Sheppey United	33	13	7	13	62	52	10	46
9 Broadbridge Heath	35	12	9	14	54	54	0	45
10 Ashford United	34	14	3	17	51	70	-19	45
11 Sevenoaks Town	35	12	7	16	57	60	-3	43
12 Hythe Town	33	12	7	14	53	62	-9	43
13 Horndean	32	11	7	14	51	58	-7	40
14 Burgess Hill Town	34	10	10	14	56	64	-8	40
15 Merstham	35	10	7	18	53	67	-14	37
16 Phoenix Sports	35	8	8	19	48	88	-40	32
17 Littlehampton Town	34	8	6	20	39	71	-32	30
18 East Grinstead Town	34	8	5	21	45	82	-37	29
19 Beckenham Town	35	6	7	22	53	90	-37	25
20 Erith & Belvedere	34	5	7	22	23	79	-56	22

Tables up to 6 including Tuesday 9th April 2024. *Deducted 1 point.



WOODS OUTLOOK

WITH CLUB SECRETARY, ALAN EVANS



Welcome to the Sparks

A warm welcome back to the Skyline Roofing Stadium for this afternoon's Pitching In Isthmian League fixture against South Park (Reigate) who have enjoyed an excellent season and will be looking to complete a "double" over the Woods today.

The Sparks have been on the fringe of a play-off push for much of the campaign, staying in the top half throughout but never quite sustaining a winning sequence sufficiently to make those top positions amongst stern opposition. Their form at home on the 3G has been excellent, but not quite so good on their travels so we have to hope that will remain the same today as we search for some end of season form ourselves.

Our visit to Whitehall Lane a couple of days before Christmas was unsuccessful as we slipped to a 2-0 defeat with Jamarie Brissett scoring both early and late to win his side all three points. It was two late goals that won South Park the corresponding game here at the Skyline last season and we have to go back to October 2020 for the last time that we managed to get a league win over today's opponents.

League News

Our last home game saw the side notch three points from a comfortable 3-0 victory over Hartley Wintney with goals from Kofi Anokye-Boadi, Dan Williams and a Carl Stewart penalty. The Woods then travelled to play play-off seeking Southall on Easter Monday and led for some time through another Kofi Anokye-Boadi goal (taking him into double-figures for the season) only to fall to two late goals, the winner in stoppage-time.

We then had our away game at Binfield postponed for the fourth time, this time at 7pm with the players all changed and ready to warm-up! This has been rearranged for this coming Thursday night, 18th April with Binfield already having a game scheduled to play on Tuesday.

The away games came thick and fast with a trip to bottom side Corinthian-Casuals last weekend. The home side took full advantage of the strong wind behind them to take an early 2-0 lead and certainly got the decisions on the day that assisted them. Archie James did score his first goal for the Woods early in the second-half to raise our hopes but it wasn't enough and Casuals notched their first win since mid-November.

After those two narrow defeats, we travelled again to Metropolitan Police on Tuesday night, lost both Luke Tingey and Harry Gallagher in the pre-match warm-up and despite the makeshift defensive line-up that started, we controlled much of the game and battled through to earn a point with a goalless draw.

Following today, we go back on the road again, firstly to Binfield on Thursday before we fly to Guernsey next Sunday and then have to face Westfield away (third attempt) on Tuesday 23rd April. Any support at these games would be very much appreciated.

Player News

Congratulations go to top scorer Dan Williams on making his 50th appearance for the club on Tuesday



Half century up for Dan Williams

night at Met. Police with a total of 21 goals in that time. Unfortunately, he suffered an ankle injury in the final attack of the match and, at the time of writing, is unlikely to have recovered to play this afternoon.

He joins a current missing list which includes Luke Tingey (illness), Harry McCorkell (back), Harry Gallagher (quad muscle), Lucas Sinclair (ankle), goalkeeper Matt Messer and long-term absentee Riccardo Alexander-Greenaway. Andrew McCorkell also missed the trip to Corinthian-Casuals with an ankle problem but returned for a clean sheet on Tuesday night.

It means we have seen a number of new players appear in recent games. Denzel Effah has made a good impression, coming in from West Essex FC. Goalkeeper, Dan O'Brien, who has been training with us all season, settled in to do well at Corinthian-Casuals. Julio Fresneda has made a few sub appearances after arriving from Ilford FC while Jeremy Stewart did well in midfield on Tuesday night having joined from Harrow Borough's Under-23s.

Having picked up a rather harsh



red card last Saturday, our first in a league game all season, Deago Dunbar-Bonnie will have to serve a one-match suspension this afternoon.

Player of the Year / Presentation Evening

Voting takes place today for the annual Supporters' Player of the Year award with forms available at the end of the bar in the clubhouse. Please remember to cast your vote. Previous recent winners have been Michael Peacock, Scott Raper, Ollie Hawkins, James Reading, Steve Brown, Berkeley Laurencin, Andy Lomas, James Budden, Wilson Chingoka, Carl Pearce, Keagan Cole and James Gurteen.

We then stage the annual presentation of awards on the evening of Saturday 27th April, immediately following our final home game of the season so please either stick around after the game or come back an hour or so after the match to be part of that celebration of the end of another season.



David Gahan

A sizeable contingent of the Northwood FC family attended Dave's funeral at West Herts Crematorium on 25th March and remembered his life; a life that included having worked as a chef at the Ritz and writing poetry which was quite a surprise! His music at the service must be classed as unique as

it included fairly obscure songs from The Move, Wizard, Andy Williams and Leon Redbone. Rest in Peace David, always fondly remembered here at the Club.

U18s County Cup Final

The Middlesex County FA have hired our ground this coming Thursday night for the Under-18s Sunday Youth Cup which is between Celtic U18s and Brentham Colts U17s. Kick-Off is at 7.30pm for anyone who would like to pop along to see the action and both the clubhouse and kitchen will be open.

Ground Improvements

The Club are currently exploring several possible grant applications for work to be carried out at the Stadium to improve the match-day experience. The long-awaited security fencing project is hopefully coming to fruition soon and we are also in the process of getting quotes for a new LED Floodlight replacement project while also considering a new drainage/irrigation system for the long-suffering pitch and maybe new, bigger dugouts. The boiler in the clubhouse is also coming to the end of its life so we will need to replace this soon. Obviously, all of these possibilities go hand-in-hand with having to raise considerable funds ourselves so if any of you feel able to make contributions towards our costs for any of these projects or have any fund-raising ideas, please let us know, either personally or by email to me, alan.evansnfc@btopenworld.com.

Under-18s

The season is certainly hotting up for the Under-18s as they continue their challenge for the East Division title. They were looking to take a step nearer that quest on Wednesday night at Chalfont St Peter but as I write these notes, an email has arrived to say match postponed due to our opponents being unable to raise a team. This is expected to result in the three points being awarded to the Woods which would mean that only Hillingdon Borough could catch us at the top of the table.

On Monday night, the side secured a place in the semi-final of the League Cup with a very solid 2-0 victory over Binfield with goals scored by Liam Osborne and Alex Grant. We now make the long journey to play Didcot Town for a place in the Final and this takes place this coming Monday night, 15th April so we wish the side good luck with that one.

Our final two league games are away at Harefield United on 24th April and a home game against Hillingdon Borough which is yet to be dated. Should we manage to win the league title, we would play in the Champions Cup Semi-Final, probably against Walton & Hershham, sometime in early May.

Spartans FC

Our tenants Spartans have hit some winning form here at the Skyline in recent weeks, beating Hillingdon Borough 2-0 and then Yateley United 2-1. It has strengthened their position above the relegation area in the table.

Spartans have now advised they are opting to play their games on the 3G pitch at Bedford Sports FC from next season so their two remaining home fixtures will be their last here at the Skyline Roofing Stadium. The first of these is on Tuesday 23rd April against bottom of the table Holmer Green while the final fixture against Woodley United is scheduled for Thursday 2nd May.

Here at the Skyline...

Our final Isthmian League game is in two weeks' time as we finish the season with a first-ever home game against Ascot United.

Thursday 18th April
Celtic U18s v Brentham U17s
County Cup Final - 7.30pm

Tuesday, 23rd April
Spartans Youth v. Holmer Green
Combined Counties League - 7.45pm

Saturday 27th April
Woods v. Ascot United
Isthmian League - 3pm

Enjoy the game today, thanks for your support, and see you all again soon.

Alan





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FROM THE TRAINING PITCH

WITH COACH DENNIS QUIGLEY



For the fans...

As always, I would like to start things off by thanking you all for your continued support throughout this season. It feels like just yesterday we welcomed all of the Woods faithful through the gates at the Skyline Roofing Stadium for our league opener against Corinthian Casuals and now we find ourselves at the penultimate home game of the 2023/24 season.

With only two home games left of the campaign, it feels right to take a dive back through moments we've shared at home throughout the year. We've had our fair share of excitement at this season. Carl Stewart's 90th minute FA Cup replay winner against Binfield, that special Harry Gallagher free-kick against Raynes Park Vale and who could forget Lucas Sinclair scoring four against Badshot Lea.

We hope to add to that today as we welcome South Park (Reigate) to the Woods. As proven, this season there is no easy game even when at home and with South Park sitting seventh in the table and picking up 11 points in their last 6 matches, we have to make sure there's no stone left unturned in preparation for this fixture.

With that being said it's often seen that with the final game of the year on the horizon teams are planning on

what to do for next season. With that being the case for some the Woods are still firmly looking at how strong they can finish the current campaign. From the management team to the players everyone is working tirelessly to make that a reality, putting in the effort on the training pitch and in their own downtime to achieve the targets set out.

Coming full circle and back to you, the fans and our sponsors. None of these moments shared and moments to come would be possible without you. It's not just the 90 minutes we're on the pitch that get noticed it's everything else in between. The Tuesday night away games in the pouring rain, the coach trip to Ramsgate, the songs you sing for

all of us and the many drinks shared in the clubhouse. We couldn't do it without each and every one of you behind us.

There are five games to go and your support is needed now just as much as it has been throughout this year. I for one look forward to sharing many more moments with you all and I look forward to seeing all of the familiar faces and new ones to come before we close the curtain on 2023/24 in the Isthmian League South Central.

For the final time this season from me.

Thank You.

Up The Woods!

Big Den



YESTERDAY: TODAY

THIS IS THE 17TH OCCASION IN NORTHWOOD'S HISTORY, WHICH DATES BACK TO 1926, THAT THEY HAVE PLAYED A COMPETITIVE FIXTURE ON 13TH APRIL. ALL PREVIOUS 16 GAMES ARE LISTED BELOW, AND I TAKE A LOOK AT THREE OF THEM IN MORE DETAIL.

BY KEN GREEN



Date	@	Competition	Opponents	Res.	Goalscorers	Att.	
Sat 13 Apr 1935	A	Harrow, Wembley & District League Premier Division	Sudbury Rangers	L	3-4	R Bell 3	
Mon 13 Apr 1936	H	Northwood Hospital Cup Final	Watford & St Albans Gas Co	W	3-0	Jones, Gill 2	
Sat 13 Apr 1940	A	Harrow & District Emergency League Division 3	Ruislip Boys Club	L	1-2	?	
Tue 13 Apr 1948	H	Harrow, Wembley & District League Premier Division	Harrow Weald United	W	1-0	?	
Tue 13 Apr 1954	A	Harrow, Wembley & District League Premier Division	Alperton O B	D	2-2	?	
Thur 13 Apr 1961	H	Harrow, Wembley & District League Premier Division	Alveston Athletic	W	3-0	?	
Sat 13 Apr 1968	H	Harrow, Wembley & District League Senior Division	West Harrow	L	1-2	?	
Thur 13 Apr 1978	H	Friendly	Strada (Norway)	W	3-1	Ellis 2, R Harman	
Sat 13 Apr 1991	H	London-Spartan League Premier Division	Barkingside	L	0-1		
Tue 13 Apr 1993	A	Diadora League Division 3	Kingsbury Town	D	1-1	Vincent	127
Sat 13 Apr 1996	H	Icicis League Division 2	Wingate & Finchley	D	2-2	Gell, Portman o.g.	106
Mon 13 Apr 1998	A	Ryman League Division 2	Wealdstone	D	1-1	Hibbert	436
Tue 13 Apr 1999	H	Ryman League Division 2	Hungerford Town	W	3-1	Cooper 2, Gell	76
Sat 13 Apr 2002	H	Ryman League Division 1	Windsor & Eton	L	0-1		170
Sat 13 Apr 2013	H	EvoStik Southern League Central Division	Chertsey Town	L	2-3	Basmel, Thomas	111
Sat 13 Apr 2019	H	Bostik Isthmian League Division 1 SC	Bracknell Town	L	0-3		207

1936

Woods 3 Watford & St Albans Gas Co 0

Northwood United won the Northwood Hospital Charity Cup on Easter Monday by beating Watford and St Albans Gas Company by three clear goals on the Recreation Ground.

A good crowd witnessed a splendid game. It was a ding-dong struggle in the first half, in which neither side could claim advantage. After the interval Northwood gained the upper hand, and after about twenty minutes Jones opened the scoring with a glorious goal. Watford tried hard to equalise, but were firmly held, and Gill put the United further ahead. The same player got the third goal.

Northwood: Alan Friend, H Cross, T Wyatt, Joe Gill, Joe Long, H Darvill, J Elworthy, Fred Taylor, S Jones, Tom Bell, H Gutteridge.



1936 Northwood United squad from the era

Lt. Cmdr. S.W. Todd, President of the competition, in introducing Mrs C.A.V. Telling, remarked on the good work Telling's had done for football in the district.

Amid much enthusiasm, Fred Taylor, captain of the United, presented Mrs Telling with a bouquet, and in return received the cup. Each player taking part in the match received a medal.



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The dance in the evening at the Central Hall was well attended, and everybody present had an enjoyable time.

1996

Woods Wingate & Finchley

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A win was vital to Woods to keep up their Icis League Division Three promotion challenge, but they were denied by a last minute equaliser.

Gell put them ahead after 20 minutes. In a hectic five minutes before half-time Simon Walsh and Paul Halbert went off injured.

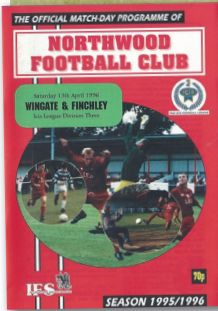
Woods added a second with a Nigel Portman own goal.

On 50 minutes, Woods had Gavin MacPherson sent-off for a second bookable offence.

With 20 minutes to go Dave Newman made it 2-1 to give Wingate & Finchley hope. Then with time nearly up, Woods were shattered by a goal by Andy Myers.



1996 Chris Gell netted for Woods



Northwood: Rick Murphy, John Carter, Vladimir Lazic, Sean Glynn, Simon Walsh, Colin Robinson, Paul Webb, Chris Gell, Terry Benning, Paul Halbert, Gavin Macpherson, subs: Andre Delisser, Dave Pickstock, Jon Pettifer.

1998

Wealdstone Woods

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Former Wealdstone midfielder Terry Hibbert put a dent in his old side's promotion hopes with an 83rd minute equaliser for Woods on Monday. Lawrence Holmes, who had just come on for Andy Sherry, headed the ball on from a quick throw to Hibbert and the midfielder cut in and sent a deflected 20-yard shot in off the underside of the bar.

The draw extended Woods' unbeaten run to seven games, and made it two draws against Stones in Ryman Division Two this season. The match started in controversial fashion when Woods keeper Daryl Pelton was yellow carded after rushing out of his goal for a long ball and committing a foul on the edge of the box.

Northwood responded with shots from Chris Gell and Sherry, but neither really troubled the home keeper Noel Imber. The home side took the lead in

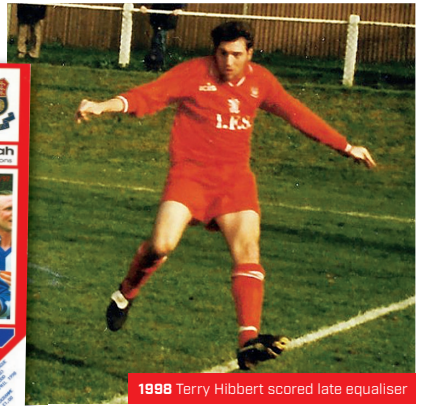
the 12th minute when the dangerous Brian Jones tangled with Pelton and the referee awarded a penalty, which Dennis Greene converted.

Paul Halbert, in for Jerome Boadu, forced Imber into an excellent fingertip save with a 30-yard shot. Just before the break, the visitors felt they should have had a penalty when Roy Marshall appeared to trip Halbert in the box, but the referee waved play on.

The second half was

scrappy, with Woods having a large share of possession. That said, Stones almost took the lead in the 56th minute when Jones crossed for Greene, but the striker lobbed over from six yards.

Northwood: Daryl Pelton, Andy Reeder, Mark Keadell, Gary Williams, Dave Walters, Keith Welsh, Terry Hibbert, Chris Gell, Paul Halbert, Tony Sibanda, Andy Sherry (Lawrence Holmes). Subs. Kevin Dobson, Gary Boreham.



1998 Terry Hibbert scored late equaliser

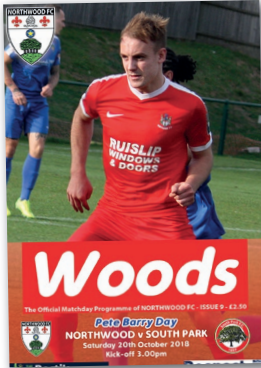


THREE OF A KIND



Memorable past meetings with Saturday's opponents South Park (Reigate)

By Ken Green



Saturday 20th October 2018
Isthmian League, South Central

Northwood
South Park

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In a game of two halves, Northwood could not hold on to a two-nil advantage against 19th placed South Park. The Woods started off the livelier team, and it did not take them long to get off the mark, a great turn and an equally great shot from Ben Pattie lead to the opener of the game in the sixth minute.

Northwood kept up the pressure and had a flurry of chances, none coming closer than Dan Newton whose header, from a great whipped in corner, went agonisingly wide. The Woods' constant barrage of attacks paid off when another great corner was tapped in from two yards by Sam Tring 31 minutes in and Northwood looked the likely winners.

Although two-nil down, South Park did not let their heads drop, and with their first shot on target in the 37th



2018 - Kweku Lucan on the attack

minute they managed to pull one back when a powerful long-range effort from Chevron McLean was saved by Luke Sheldrick but the ball fell straight to Tyreke Leslie, who finished from a tight angle.

67 minutes in and the visiting team deservedly got an equaliser. A poor piece of defending from Northwood lead to Sebastian Osei Obengo having an uncontested shot from the outside of the box. Despite more pressing, South Park couldn't manage a winner.

Northwood: Luke Sheldrick, Dan Newton, Matt Cooper, Stefan Powell, Sam Tring, Carl Pearce, Kweku Conrad-Lucan, Dan Pett (Cameron Ferguson), Ned Clarke, Ben Pattie (Sam Jenkins), Brendan Ocran (Keir Dickson)

South Park: Michael Eacott, Gianni Ashley, Jake Hill, Andrew Herring, Charlie Alexiou, Jay Bradley, Tyreke Leslie (Ehis Izokun), Ryan Healy, Sebastien Osei-Obengo, Sam Remfry, Chevron McLean



Tuesday 12th February 2019
Isthmian League, South Central

South Park
Northwood

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This match began at a blistering pace with Alex Witham's delightful cross just evading the head of Kyran Worrell for Northwood while Luke Sheldrick produced a smart save to deny South Park's Charlie Pitcher. Woods proceeded to gain the upper-hand with their slick, incisive play, Carl Pearce heading narrowly over from a Chris Gosling free-kick, and Northwood maintained their positive start, deservedly taking the lead on 21 minutes. Tre Charles threaded a pass through to Gosling, who executed a neat finish.

Leigh Stevens and Charles went close to increasing the lead, whilst Sheldrick made a point-blank save to deny Great Evans. But Northwood scored a second goal on 35 minutes, Leigh Stevens back-heeling Charles' low cross into the path of Witham, who made no mistake to net.



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2019 - Chris Gosling opened the scoring

After Worrell had rattled the South Park crossbar with a 25-yard screamer with Eacott beaten, Imran Uche added a third goal on 43 minutes as he drilled the ball home from the edge of the box following a corner.

Woods' pace slowed after the break but a fourth goal arrived on 73 minutes when Zaied Sabti and Stevens combined to set up Jabir Laraba, who rolled the ball home.

South Park, though, kept pushing for a consolation and after Sheldrick got the slightest touch to a rising Evans shot, the ensuing corner led to Matty Males pulling a goal back with two minutes left on the clock.

South Park: Michael Eacott, Tom Summerfield (Dan Stone), Jake Hill (Jordan Serrato), Andrew Herring (Matt Males), Chevan Xavier, Harry Pollard, Ryan Richefond, Ryan Healy, Great Evans, Charlie Pitcher, Sam Remfry

Northwood: Luke Sheldrick, Sam Jenkins, Miguel Matos, Yahya El-Khabouche (Jabir Laraba), Imran Uche, Carl Pearce, Leigh Stevens, Chris Gosling, Tremayne Charles (Kweku Lucan), Alex Witham, Kyran Worrell (Zaied Sabti)

Saturday 6th August 2022
FA Cup Extra Preliminary Round

Northwood 2
South Park 1

Northwood enjoyed a dominant start to this cup tie, and a flowing move from the back involving James Budden, Ric Alexander-Greenaway and Andy Lomas ended with Sydney Ibie charging into the box before lifting the ball over the crossbar from a narrow angle.

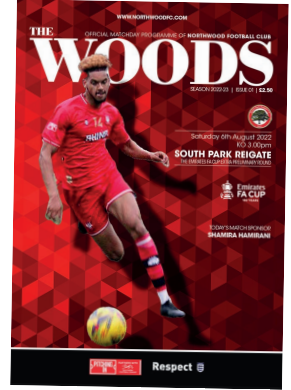
The visitors came back into the game, and they had Ryan Healy bundled over in the box by the backtracking Ronan Hutchins with the referee pointing to the penalty spot, only to reverse the decision after the intervention of the assistant referee who had spotted a handball offence.

It was Woods who opened the scoring on 17 minutes when Sydney Ibie turned smartly before breaking down the left flank and delivering a perfectly weighted centre which was swept home by Josh Helmore.

But ten minutes later Mario Quiasacca turned sharply on the edge of the box before unleashing an unstoppable shot into the top corner of Andrew McCorkell's net to restore parity on 27 minutes.

Northwood, however, regained the lead on the stroke of half-time, Ibie teeing up Hutchins, who fired a low shot into the far corner of the net for a debut goal.

After the break the contest proceeded to become a rather disjointed affair with neither side enjoying any meaningful possession. But Northwood were given a scare as Seanon McKillop's intended cross rebounded



off the far upright with a relieved McCorkell gathering Jordan's shot from the rebound, but the home side maintained their lead to move into the next round.

Northwood: Andrew McCorkell, Sam Jenkins (Rahim Jude-Boyd), Andy Lomas, Luke Tingey, James Budden, Romario Jonas, Ronan Hutchins, Riccardo Alexander-Greenaway, Josh Helmore (Lindell Stewart), Sydney Ibie, Carl Stewart (Ergys Pepai)

South Park: Zak Basey, Lee Dobbs, Sam Tutt, Seanon McKillop, Matthew Faithorn, Joe Bell, Nathan Hogan (James McElligott), Ryan Healy, Mario Quiasacca, Ben Jordan (Ethan Ford), Sam King (Abel Vendrells)



2022 - Sydney Ibie is challenged by two South Park players



MATCH ACTION

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PITCHING IN ISTHMIAN LEAGUE
SOUTH CENTRAL DIVISION
SATURDAY 6TH APRIL 2024

ATT 156



Corinthian-Casuals

Osunkoya 2, Arthur-Dede 13'

Northwood

James 56

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Denzel Effah slots home but it's ruled out for offside

The Woods made their first visit to King George's Field for over thirty years but it was ultimately a disappointing one as bottom of the table Corinthian-Casuals recorded an invaluable three points in their unlikely quest for avoiding relegation; their first win in twenty league matches.

Northwood went into the game forced into many changes due to injuries and unavailability with both Andrew and Harry McCorkell both sidelined alongside Lucas Sinclair and Sam Jenkins. With stand-in goalkeeper Matt Messer also ruled out with injury, there was a debut for Dan O'Brien between the sticks while Denzel Effah made his first start since joining in March while teenage attacker Archie James started a league game for the first time.

The home side had gone close to pulling off a shock a week earlier when they led play-off certainties Leatherhead 2-0 in the first-half before eventually going down 3-2 and they started this game full of the same confidence.

While they had the benefit of a strong wind behind them, Casuals played some excellent, attacking football in the first twenty minutes and they quickly established another two-goal advantage.

GOAL ALERT

1-0 Frazer Osunkoya (2)

The first goal came after just two minutes as a thrown-on, delivered from the left, was allowed to drop into the danger-zone and Frazer Osunkoya showed good finishing skills to hook the ball past O'Brien in goal.

The Woods briefly thought that they were level just four minutes later as good approach work from Dan Williams saw him set up Effah for a neat finish inside goalkeeper Tom Theobald at his near-post, only for what looked a tight offside flag to rule it out.

GOAL ALERT

2-0 Aderi Arthur-Dede (19)

But the home side were relentless and Osunkoya almost had his second with just seven minutes on the clock, only to see his shot come crashing back off the post. They didn't have to wait that long for a second though as a quick ball through released Aderi Arthur-Dede and the striker slid it past the oncoming O'Brien to net his fifth goal in successive matches.

The Woods worked hard against the wind to get a foothold in the game and they did have some success but Harry McKenna's cross was comfortably dealt with by Theobald and Williams headed a good

chance wide when Kofi Anokye-Boadi picked him out with a good cross but another offside flag at least spared the blushes of the Woods top scorer.

Arthur-Dede again broke through the Northwood backline after twenty eight minutes but this time he was denied by O'Brien who managed to block his shot with an outstretched leg and keep the Woods in the match.

Stephan Langley battled in the box after a corner to set up Teddy Stacey for a shot but it was stabbed weakly wide and it was still Casuals who had the best opportunities before the break. Firstly, Sean Sankanu was given the freedom of the park to roam from his own half but his shot was well taken by O'Brien.

In the fourth minute of stoppage-time, it was almost a third as Arthur-Dede again rode a challenge to get a shot off but this time Luke Tingey managed to clear off the line. Then, just before the break, Anokye-Boadi got in down the left but his shot flashed well over the bar.

HALF TIME

CORINTHIAN-CASUALS
NORTHWOOD

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Archie James tucks home his first Woods goal

GOAL ALERT 2-1 Archie James (56)

There were still high hopes that the Woods could emulate Leatherhead from the previous week as the second-half started. James tested Theobald from a free-kick on fifty minutes and six minutes he had his first Northwood goal as he got on the end of an excellent ball from Williams to flick it home.

Northwood forced a series of corners but without getting the delivery quite right and then made a couple of substitutions with Julio Fresneda and Godlove Oppong replacing Stacey and goalscorer James with twenty minutes still to play.

After seventy three minutes, Williams got ahead of his marker as he raced on to a through-ball and chipped Theobald only

to see the ball come back off the post as another dubious offside flag was raised once again. A similar move put Williams in once more six minutes later but this time Theobald came out and saved with his legs to deny him.

Anokye-Boadi was next to go close, after a series of crosses flashed across the box, as his effort deflected but straight at the keeper guarding his near-post and Tingey also went close as one of his throws came back out to him and he shot just wide of the same post.

Time was running out when the Woods were awarded a free-kick just into the seven additional minutes of stoppage-time. Substitute Harry Gallagher was given the opportunity but, though on target, his effort lacked the power to beat the 'keeper.

And, just a minute later, Deago Dunbar-Bonnie tangled with a Casuals attacker who came from behind him as he looked to clear and rather harshly was shown a straight red for denying a goalscoring opportunity. With only ten men, the Northwood challenge fell away and Casuals held on to record a notable victory. It was Northwood's first red card in a league game all season.

FULL TIME CORINTHIAN-CASUALS NORTHWOOD

WOODS LINE-UP A. McCorkell, McKenna, Dunbar-Bonnie, Stewart, Tingey, Langley (Gallagher 86), Effah, Stacey (Fresneda 61), Williams, James (Oppong 69), Anokye-Boadi

Unused Sub: J Stewart

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MATCH ACTION

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PITCHING IN ISTHMIAN LEAGUE
SOUTH CENTRAL DIVISION

MONDAY 1ST APRIL 2024

ATT 93



Southall

Thompson-Brissett 77, Matthew 90+2

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Northwood

Williams 36

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Southall notched three valuable points towards their push for the play-offs with two late goals to turn around this competitive contest played in weather conditions that alternated between wind, rain, hail and sunshine.

Having had their previous midweek game at Binfield postponed and being without a game on the Easter Saturday, manager Ben Bukowski was again able to name an unchanged starting line-up for this Bank Holiday Monday fixture as the Woods looked to make it three consecutive wins.

Southall had seen their play-off hopes slip in recent weeks but had bounced back to form on the Saturday with a 2-0 win at Badshot Lea so were looking to find some consistency.

There was another slow start to the game with a midfield battle developing that neither side managed to establish any real hold. The first couple of efforts on goal came from the home side though as Bill Montague saw a shot comfortably taken at his near-post by Andrew McCorkell while

another strike from Joshua Green flashed across the face of goal.

Dan Williams tried his luck with a shot from distance but that flew well over while the 'All's attempts to attack were generally wasted by overhit final balls.

GOAL ALERT
0-1 Dan Williams (36)

And that didn't really change until the thirty sixth minute when Northwood suddenly found themselves in the lead as Harry McCorkell headed on an Andrew McCorkell kick and it found Williams bearing down on goal, already ahead of defender Carl Pearce. Spotting goalkeeper Koju Abayomi off his line, the Woods top scorer fired his shot early and firmly into the top corner for a spectacular goal.

Having taken the lead, the Woods should probably have made it 2-0 just two minutes later as Carl Stewart played a great ball through to Williams again. He cut in past his marker but his shot with his weaker right-foot wasn't powerful enough to beat the 'keeper.

HALF TIME
SOUTHALL
NORTHWOOD

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Chances were still few and far between at both ends and it wasn't until four minutes into the second-half that the Woods almost had a second again.

It was Williams again who played a ball forward that Abayomi should have cleared but he missed his kick and had to race back to reach it before it crossed the line.

It still wasn't the best of clearances with many observers thinking it had still gone over the line but he was given the benefit of the doubt.

After fifty two minutes, Williams was the provider again with a cross to the far post where Kofi Anokye-Boadi rose highest but his header only found the side-netting.

Having not managed to turn the tide, Southall took the risky option of making a triple substitution just ten minutes after the restart but it didn't appear to bring any immediate improvement and after sixty one minutes, Williams broke well down



Dan Williams shot beats the flying goalkeeper

the left and was about to square to Lucas Sinclair who had got ahead of his marker in the centre. He was unceremoniously pushed over by Southall skipper Azeez Alabi about two feet outside the box. It looked like a red card offence with a free-kick awarded but, after consultation with his assistant the Referee selected just a yellow. Sam Jenkins free-kick clipped the wall and went for a corner which came to nothing.

Three minutes later, a heavy hailstorm forced the Referee to call a halt to proceedings for a few minutes and Sinclair was given his first chance on goal after good approach work from Teddy Stacey but he flicked his shot wide.

Godlove Opong was introduced as a substitute for Williams on seventy five minutes but by now Southall were beginning to threaten as Jaden Thompson-Brissett's cross from the left was almost met by Brendan Matthew.

GOAL ALERT
1-1 Jaden Thompson-Brissett (77)

The home side then found a much-needed equaliser two minutes later. Matthew overhit a cross from the left but it was rescued by some good footwork from Romey Eccles-Meadad who swung it back into the centre from the right and Thompson-Brissett ghosted in unmarked to head home.

With spirits raised, Southall almost led a minute later as Thompson-Brissett sent over a good cross from the left and Matthew managed to outjump Luke Tingey to head goalwards but it came back off the post.

Time was running out though when former Woods winger Adam Laaref found space for a shot from the edge of the box which flashed across the face of goal and wide

GOAL ALERT
2-1 Brendan Matthew (90+2)

Then, just a minute into stoppage-time and

with a rainbow in the sky behind the goal, Matthew swung his right-foot at a cross from the right and it slipped just inside the post for an instinctive winner for the home side.

It was the striker's fourth goal against the Woods this season, earning his two different sides nine points and scoring the winner in all three one-goal margin victories. It was Southall's first home victory over Northwood since their first-ever meeting; a 2-1 FA Vase success at the old Western Road ground way back in 1983 but a very important one as they maintain their play-off push.

FULL TIME
SOUTHALL
NORTHWOOD

WOODS LINE-UP

A. McCorkell, McKenna, Jenkins (Gallagher 88), Stewart, Tingey, Langley, Anokye-Boadi, Stacey, Sinclair, Williams (Opong 76), H. McCorkell (Effah 90)

Unused Sub: Dunbar-Bonnie, (J) Stewart

THE WOODS FIXTURES & RESULTS 2023/24

August	F-A	Att	1	2	3	4	5	6	
Sat 12	Corinthian-Casuals	H 4-0	158	A. McCorkell	Stacey	Dunbar-Bonnie	Stewart	Tingey	Gallagher
Sat 19	Buckhurst Hill (PR)	A 1-0	133	A. McCorkell	Stacey	Dunbar-Bonnie	Stewart	Tingey	Gallagher
Mon 28	Binfield	H 4-1	224	A. McCorkell	Stacey 1	Dunbar-Bonnie	Stewart	Tingey	Gallagher 1
September									
Sat 2	Binfield (1QR)	A 2-2	127	A. McCorkell	Stacey	Dunbar-Bonnie 1	Stewart	Tingey	Gallagher 1
Tue 5	Binfield (1QR-R)	H 1-0	212	A. McCorkell	Stacey	Brophy	Stewart 1	Tingey	Gallagher
Sat 9	Ramsgate (1Q)	A 0-3	416	A. McCorkell	Stacey	Dunbar-Bonnie	Stewart	Tingey	Gallagher
Tue 12	Marlow (R2)	H 2-1	115	Messer	Tierney	Brophy	H. McCorkell	Tingey	Jonas
Sat 16	Cray Valley (PM) (2QR)	H 2-2	159	A. McCorkell	Stacey	Dunbar-Bonnie	Stewart	Tingey	Gallagher
Tue 19	Cray Valley (PM) (2QR-R)	A 3-4*	132	A. McCorkell	Stacey	Dunbar-Bonnie	Stewart	Tingey 1	Gallagher 2
Sat 23	Ashford Town (Middx)	H 1-3	149	Messer	Gallagher	Dunbar-Bonnie	Stewart	Tingey	Jonas 1
Tue 26	Hanworth Villa	A 1-2	148	Messer	Stacey	Dunbar-Bonnie	Gallagher	Tingey	Jonas
Sat 30	Uxbridge	A 2-4	86	Hudd	Stacey	Dunbar-Bonnie	Stewart	Tingey	Jonas
October									
Sat 7	Chipstead	H 0-1	149	A. McCorkell	Stacey	Dunbar-Bonnie	Stewart	Milner-Smith	Jonas
Tue 10	Marlow	H 1-3	122	A. McCorkell	Stacey	Dunbar-Bonnie	Stewart	Milner-Smith	Jonas
Sat 14	Raynes Park Vale	A 0-1	180	A. McCorkell	Stacey	Dunbar-Bonnie	Milner-Smith	Tingey	Jonas
Tue 17	Leatherhead	A 0-0	299	A. McCorkell	Stacey	Dunbar-Bonnie	Milner-Smith	Tingey	Jonas
Sat 21	Chertsey Town	H 2-4	239	A. McCorkell	Stacey	Dunbar-Bonnie	Milner-Smith	Tingey	Jonas
Tue 24	Badshot Lea (R3)	H 0-3	103	A. McCorkell	Tierney	Dunbar-Bonnie	Milner-Smith	Tingey	Gallagher
Sat 28	Thatcham Town	A 0-2	80	Browne	Stacey	Stewart	Milner-Smith	Tingey	Jonas
November									
Wed 8	Southall (R2)	A (5) 1-1 (4)	97	Browne	Stacey	Dunbar-Bonnie	Stewart	Tingey	Gallagher 1
Sat 11	Chipstead	A 3-1	129	Browne	Stacey	Dunbar-Bonnie	Stewart	Jonas	Gallagher
Sat 25	Hartley Wintney	A 0-4	238	Browne	Stacey	Dunbar-Bonnie	Stewart	Jonas	Gallagher
Tue 28	Sutton Common Rovers	H 5-1	108	Browne	McKenna	Dunbar-Bonnie	Stewart	Tingey	Gallagher
December									
Sat 9	Ascot United	A 0-1	202	Browne	McKenna	Dunbar-Bonnie	Stacey	Tingey	Gallagher
Sat 16	Guernsey	H 2-1	93	Browne	McKenna	Dunbar-Bonnie	Tingey	Jonas	Gallagher
Sat 23	South Park (Reigate)	A 0-2	74	Browne	McKenna	Duru	Tingey	Jonas	Cole
Tue 26	Southall	H 1-2	169	Browne	Jenkins	Duru	Stewart	Tingey	Cole
January									
Tue 9	Metropolitan Police	H 1-0	82	Browne	McKenna	Dunbar-Bonnie	Tingey	Jonas 1	Gallagher
Sat 13	Leatherhead	H 1-2	152	Browne	McKenna	Dunbar-Bonnie	Tingey	Jonas	Gallagher
Tue 23	Hendon (QF)	A 2-3	79	Browne	McKenna	Dunbar-Bonnie	Tingey	Jonas	Gallagher
Sat 27	Uxbridge	H 3-0	166	Browne	McKenna	Dunbar-Bonnie 1	Jenkins	Tingey	Gallagher
Tue 30	Marlow	A 1-4	102	Browne	McKenna	Jenkins	Stewart	Tingey	Gallagher
February									
Sat 3	Raynes Park Vale	H 2-2	151	Browne	McKenna	Dunbar-Bonnie	Jenkins	Tingey	Gallagher 2
Tue 6	Westfield	H 1-2	96	A. McCorkell	McKenna	Dunbar-Bonnie	Jenkins	Tingey	Gallagher
Sat 17	Thatcham Town	H 4-1	128	A. McCorkell	Jenkins	Dunbar-Bonnie	Stewart	Tingey	Gallagher 1
Sat 24	Sutton Common Rovers	A 2-2	72	A. McCorkell	Jenkins	Dunbar-Bonnie	Stewart	Tingey	Gallagher 1
Tue 27	Ashford Town (Middx)	A 6-0	69	A. McCorkell	Langley 1	Dunbar-Bonnie	H. McCorkell	Tingey	Gallagher
March									
Tue 5	Hanworth Villa	H 2-3	82	A. McCorkell	Langley	Dunbar-Bonnie	H. McCorkell	Tingey	Gallagher
Sat 9	Chertsey Town	A 0-0	519	A. McCorkell	Langley	Dunbar-Bonnie	Stewart	Tingey	Gallagher
Sat 16	Badshot Lea	A 0-4	130	A. McCorkell	Langley	Dunbar-Bonnie	H. McCorkell	Tingey	Gallagher
Tue 19	Badshot Lea	H 6-1	110	A. McCorkell	McKenna	Jenkins	Stewart	Tingey	Langley
Sat 23	Hartley Wintney	H 3-0	146	A. McCorkell	McKenna	Jenkins	Stewart 1	Tingey	Langley
April									
Mon 1	Southall	A 1-2	93	A. McCorkell	McKenna	Jenkins	Stewart	Tingey	Langley
Sat 6	Corinthian-Casuals	A 1-2	156	O'Brien	McKenna	Dunbar-Bonnie	Stewart	Tingey	Langley
Tue 9	Metropolitan Police	A 0-0	73	A. McCorkell	McKenna	C. Stewart	Stacey	Jenkins	Langley
Sat 13	South Park (Reigate)	H							
Thu 18	Binfield	A							
Sun 21	Guernsey	A							
Tue 23	Westfield	A							
Sat 27	Ascot United	H							



WOODS SCORE SHOWN FIRST Goalscorer in Bold ;
Sub 1 / Sub 2 / Sub 3 / Sub 4 / Sub 5;
! Yellow Card / ! Red Card / * After Extra Time



7	8	9	10	11	Used Substitutes	06
Otote 3	Alexander-Greenaway !	Williams 1	Smith	Anokye-Boadi	Crowder (72); Jenkins (77); H. McCorkell (90)	
Otote	Coulter	Williams 1	Smith	Anokye-Boadi	Newman (80); H. McCorkell (77); Jenkins (90)	
Otote	H. McCorkell !	Williams 1 !	Smith	Anokye-Boadi 1	Jenkins (80); Newman (72); Crowder (84)	
Jenkins	Alexander-Greenaway	Williams	Smith	Anokye-Boadi	Otote (63); Brophy (63)	
Dunbar-Bonnie	Alexander-Greenaway	Williams	Otote	Anokye-Boadi !	Newman (78); Jenkins (84) !	
Otote	Alexander-Greenaway	Williams	H. McCorkell	Anokye-Boadi	Jonas (11); Jenkins (58); Brophy (89)	
Otote 1	Jenkins	Newman 1	Smith !	Crowder	Alexander-Greenaway (62); Dunbar-Bonnie (62); Opong (70) !; Anokye-Boadi (81)	
Otote	Alexander-Greenaway 1	Williams 1	Opong	Anokye-Boadi	Jenkins (72); Newman (90); H. McCorkell (90)	
Otote !	Alexander-Greenaway	Jenkins !	Opong	Anokye-Boadi	Williams (53); Brophy (85); Crowder (111) > Smith (115)	
Otote	H. McCorkell !	Williams	Jenkins !	Newman	Brown (62); Alexander-Greenaway (76); Brophy (83)	
Otote	Alexander-Greenaway	Williams 1	H. McCorkell	Anokye-Boadi	Newman (88); Smith (88); Jenkins (88)	
Otote	Alexander-Greenaway	Williams 1	Jenkins 1	Anokye-Boadi	Smith (48); Brown (77)	
Brown	Mbengui	Williams	Anokye-Boadi	Hannachi	Otote (72); Jenkins (72); Tingey (82)	
Otote	Alexander-Greenaway	Williams 1 !	Anokye-Boadi	Brown	Hannachi (89); Mbengui (83); Jenkins (83)	
Stewart	Mbengui	Williams !	Anokye-Boadi	Hannachi	Alexander-Greenaway (59) !; Brown (75); H. McCorkell (90)	
Stewart !	H. McCorkell	Williams	Anokye-Boadi !	Otote	Alexander-Greenaway (90); Jenkins (90)	
Stewart 1	H. McCorkell	Williams 1	Anokye-Boadi	Jenkins	Cameron (46) !; Brown (82) !	
Stewart	Alexander-Greenaway	Brown !	Jenkins	Otote	Anokye-Boadi (46); Jonas (46); H. McCorkell (46) !; Williams (48); Stacey (78)	
Brown !	Alexander-Greenaway	Williams !	Cameron	Anokye-Boadi	Opong (63) !; Hannachi (83); McKenna (83)	
McKenna	H. McCorkell	Williams	Cameron	Anokye-Boadi	Jonas (88) > Alexander-Greenaway (76); Opong (82)	
McKenna	H. McCorkell	Williams 1	Cameron 1	Anokye-Boadi	Opong 1 (82)	
Jenkins	H. McCorkell	Williams	Cameron !	Anokye-Boadi	McKenna (70); Opong (76)	
Jenkins	H. McCorkell	Williams 3	Opong	Anokye-Boadi 1	Stacey 1 (19) ; Cameron (66); Cole (86)	
Jenkins !	H. McCorkell	Cameron	Opong	Anokye-Boadi	Stewart (62); Cole (91); Brown (82)	
Stewart	Stacey	Opong	Jenkins !	Anokye-Boadi 1	Cameron 1 (46) ; Cole (85)	
Stewart	Stacey	Cameron	Jenkins	Anokye-Boadi	Robinson (86); Dunbar-Bonnie (87)	
McKenna	Stacey	Cameron	Anokye-Boadi 1	Dunbar-Bonnie	Helmore (83); Robinson (89)	
Stewart	Stacey !	Cameron	Opong	Anokye-Boadi	Helmore (82); Cole (87); H. McCorkell (88)	
Stewart	Stacey	Helmore	Sinclair 1	Anokye-Boadi	Crowder (64); Tierney (84); Jenkins (84)	
Stewart	Stacey	Williams 1 !	James	Anokye-Boadi 1	Jenkins (54); Flannery (73); Reade (81); Crowder (86) ; Tierney (86)	
Laaref 1	Stacey !	Williams	Anokye-Boadi	Stewart	Sinclair (73); James (81); Helmore (89)	1
Laaref 1	Stacey !	Williams	Sinclair	Anokye-Boadi	Jonas (61); Langley (69); James (82)	
Laaref	Stacey	Williams	Anokye-Boadi	Stewart	Sinclair (85) !; Langley (90); James (90)	
Laaref	Stacey !	Sinclair 1 !	Anokye-Boadi	H. McCorkell !	Langley (71); Williams (81)	
Laaref	Stacey	Sinclair 1 !	Williams	Anokye-Boadi 2	McKenna (83); H. McCorkell (88); James (89)	
Laaref	Stacey 1	Sinclair	Williams	Anokye-Boadi	James (79); McKenna (89); H. McCorkell (88)	
McKenna	Stacey	Sinclair 4	Williams 1	Anokye-Boadi	Laaref (79); Flannery (83); Stewart (84)	
McKenna	Stacey !	Sinclair 1 !	Williams	Anokye-Boadi 1	Laaref (74); Jenkins (82)	
Laaref	Stacey	Sinclair !	Williams !	McKenna !	Jenkins (69); James (74); Flannery (90+4)	
Anokye-Boadi	Stacey	Sinclair	Williams	Jenkins	Grant (79); James (68); Stewart (89)	
Anokye-Boadi 1	Stacey	Sinclair 4	Williams 1	H. McCorkell	James (78); Flannery (82); Grant (87)	
Anokye-Boadi 1	Stacey	Sinclair	Williams 1	H. McCorkell	Effah (85); James (90+1); Fresneda (90+3)	
Anokye-Boadi !	Stacey	Sinclair	Williams 1	H. McCorkell	Opong (76); Gallagher (88); Effah (90+3)	
Effah	Stacey	Williams	James 1	Anokye-Boadi	Fresneda (59); Opong (69); Gallagher (84)	
Effah	J. Stwerat	Williams	James	Opong !	Anokye-Boadi (78); Dunbar-Bonnie (82); Fresneda (86)	





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ROLL CALL 2023/24

Player	2023/24 Season										Woods Career						Woods Debut
	Isthmian League				Cup				Total		League		Cups		Overall		
	Starts	As Sub	Total	Goals	Starts	As Sub	Total	Goals	Apps	Goals	Apps	Goals	Apps	Goals	Apps	Goals	
Ric Alexander-Greenaway	5	3	8	0	6	2	8	1	16	1	44	4	16	3	60	7	Ashford Town (Mx) [A] Mar '22
Kofi Anokye-Boadi	32	1	33	9	8	2	10	1	43	10	33	9	10	1	43	10	Corinthian-Casuals (H) Aug '23
Luke Brophy*	0	1	1	0	2	3	5	0	6	0	1	0	5	0	6	0	Binfield (A) Sep '23
Curtis Brown*	3	5	8	0	1	1	2	0	10	0	8	0	2	0	10	0	Ashford Town (Mx) [H] Sep '23
Roraih Browne*	13	0	13	0	2	0	2	0	15	0	13	0	2	0	15	0	Thatcham Town [A] Oct '23
Reece Cameron**	7	3	10	2	1	0	1	0	11	2	10	2	1	0	11	2	Chertsey Town (H) Oct '23
Keagan Cole	2	4	6	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	44	7	11	0	55	7	Chipstead (A) Nov '21
Archie Coulter*	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	Buckhurst Hill [A] Aug '23
Ben Crowder	0	3	3	0	1	2	3	0	6	0	3	0	3	0	6	0	Corinthian-Casuals (H) Aug '23
Deago Dunbar-Bonnie	28	2	30	1	9	1	10	1	40	2	30	1	10	1	40	2	Corinthian-Casuals (H) Aug '23
Lesley Duru*	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	South Park Reigate (A) Dec '23
Martin Flannery	2	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	4	0	0	0	4	0	Hendon (A) Jan '24
Julio Fresneda	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	0	0	0	3	0	Hartley Wintney (H) Mar '24
Harry Gallagher	21	2	23	5	9	0	9	4	32	9	42	8	16	4	58	12	Tooting 8 MU (H) Aug '22
Alex Grant	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	Badshot Lea (A) Mar '24
Zeid Hannachi*	2	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	5	0	0	0	5	0	Chipstead (H) Oct '23
Josh Helmore	1	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	57	16	13	5	70	21	Bedfont Sports (H) Jan '22
Beau Hudd*	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	Uxbridge (A) Sep '23
Archie James	2	9	11	1	1	0	1	0	12	1	11	1	1	0	12	1	Hendon (A) Jan '24
Sam Jenkins	20	9	29	1	4	5	9	0	38	1	88	4	26	0	114	4	Kings Langley (H) Sep '18
Romario Jonas	15	2	17	2	2	3	5	0	22	2	28	2	10	0	38	2	South Park Reigate (H) Aug '22
Adam Laaref*	7	2	9	2	0	0	0	0	9	2	9	2	0	0	9	2	Uxbridge (H) Jan '24
Stefan Langley	9	3	12	1	0	0	0	0	12	1	12	1	0	0	12	1	Marlow (A) Jan '24
Prince Mbengui*	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	0	0	0	3	0	Chipstead (H) Oct '23
Andrew McCorkell	18	0	18	0	7	0	7	0	25	0	59	0	18	0	77	0	Uxbridge (A) Sep '17
Harry McCorkell	16	5	21	0	3	3	6	0	27	0	21	0	6	0	27	0	Corinthian-Casuals (H) Aug '23
Harry McKenna	20	4	24	0	2	0	2	0	26	0	24	0	2	0	26	0	Thatcham Town [A] Oct '23
Matt Messer	2	0	2	0	1	0	1	0	3	0	2	0	1	0	3	0	Marlow (H) Sep '23
George Milner-Smith*	6	0	6	0	1	0	1	0	7	0	6	0	1	0	7	0	Chipstead (H) Oct '23
Jaden Newman**	1	2	3	0	1	3	4	1	7	1	3	0	4	1	7	1	Buckhurst Hill [A] Aug '23
Dan O'Brien	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	Corinthian-Casuals (A) Apr '24
Godlove Opong	5	6	11	1	2	2	4	0	15	1	11	1	4	0	15	1	Marlow (H) Sept '23
Osaretin Otote*	7	1	8	3	7	1	8	1	16	4	13	3	10	1	23	4	Binfield (A) Apr '23
Joe Reade**	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	2	0	5	0	7	0	Ashford Town (Mx) [H] Oct '22
Tyler Robinson*	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	South Park Reigate (A) Dec '23
Lucas Sinclair	12	2	14	12	0	0	0	0	14	12	14	12	0	0	14	12	Leatherhead (H) Jan '24
Jack Smith*	2	2	4	0	3	1	4	0	8	0	7	0	5	0	12	0	Thatcham Town [A] Mar '23
Teddy Stacey	33	1	34	3	8	1	9	0	43	3	70	6	16	1	86	7	Chipstead (A) Nov '21
Carl Stewart	29	3	32	2	9	0	9	1	41	3	93	3	23	1	116	4	Chipstead (A) Nov '21
Jeremy Stewart	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	Met. Police (A) Apr '24
Mikey Tierney**	0	1	1	0	2	1	3	0	4	0	1	0	3	0	4	0	Marlow (H) Sep '23
Luke Tingey	30	1	31	0	10	0	10	1	41	1	82	3	22	1	104	4	Tooting 8 MU (H) Feb '22
Dan Williams	28	1	29	14	7	2	9	3	38	17	39	17	11	4	50	21	Mersham (A) Feb '23

* No longer with club; ** Dual-Registered





UNDER 18S

WOODS REACH LEAGUE CUP SEMI-FINAL

Since our last programme notes, the Woods were held to a 2-2 drawn by Harefield United in a League game but have then progressed through two rounds of the Allied Counties League Cup to reach the final four where they will now play away to Didcot Town, at the time of writing likely to be played on Monday night, 15th April.

Two goals by Londin Latifi were not enough to beat the Hares here at the Skyline and the lads will be hoping to have returned to winning league form on Wednesday night when they were in action once again at Chalfont St Peter.

In the League Cup, the Woods recorded a narrow 1-0 success away at Thatcham Town in the third round of the competition with Alex Grant scoring the only goal and they squeezed in the Quarter-Final on Monday night in a home match against Binfield.

An early headed goal from Liam Osborne, his first of the season, gave his side an early lead as the Woods dominated the early stages. The visiting goalkeeper made a series of good saves to keep his side in it and Binfield did get more into the contest as the half progressed.

In the second-half, Northwood stayed solid at the back and the visitors had disciplinary problems with a player sin-binned. It wasn't until the 75th minute that Alex Grant raced through to score a crucial second goal and the lads held on to the win.

They have now won three games in the competition without conceding a goal.

Most appearances:

16 - Scholz

15 - Grant, Latifi, Osborne, Reid, Sweeney

14 - Bradford, Lousley

Top Scorers:

11 - Grant 7 - Latifi 5 - Thapa 4 - Reid 3 - Scholz, Toci



FIXTURES & RESULTS 2023/24

Date	Opposition	@	Comp	Res	Scorers
July					
Mon 24	Dunstable Town	N	Friendly	6-1	Dwyer, Grant 2, Osborne 2, Crowder
Thu 27	Leverstock Green	A	Friendly	2-1	Osborne, Crowder
August					
Thu 10	Walton 6 Hershaw	N	Friendly	3-4	Caselli 3
Wed 16	Tring Athletic	H	FAY	2-5	Scholz, Toci
Thu 31	Kings Langley	A	Friendly	2-4	Williams, Reid
September					
Mon 11	Hillingdon Borough	A	ACYL	5-1	Thapa 2, Grant, Scholz, Dwyer
Wed 27	Wembley	H	ACYL	2-0	Toci, Lewis
October					
Wed 11	Chalfont St Peter	H	ACYL	4-1	Latifi 3, Thapa
Wed 25	Beaconsfield Town	H	ACYL	3-0	Lousley, Reid, Toci
November					
Wed 15	Hillingdon Borough	H	MCYC	2-1	Grant, Latifi
Wed 22	Burnham	H	ACYLC	8-0	Grant 2, Reid, Latifi, Williams, Bradford, Crowder, Clemowpa
January					
Tue 9	Beaconsfield Town	A	ACYL	2-0	Reid, Thapa
Wed 24	Uxbridge	H	MCYC	5-4	Casteluber 2, Grant 3 (1 pen)
Tue 30	Rayners Lane	A	ACYL	1-2	Williams
February					
Wed 7	Wembley	A	ACYL	2-2	Thapa, Scholz
March					
Mon 4	Bedfont Sports	H	MCYC	1-1	Scholz (Last 3-5 on pens)
Wed 6	Rayners Lane	H	ACYL	3-1	Scholz, Grant 2
Wed 20	Harefield United	H	ACYL	2-2	Latifi 2
Mon 5	Thatcham Town	A	ACYLC	1-0	Grant
April					
Mon 8	Binfield	H	ACYLC	2-0	Osborne, Grant
Wed 10	Chalfont St Peter	A	ACYL		
Mon 15	Didcot Town	A	ACYLC		Semi-Final
Wed 24	Harefield United	A	ACYL		
TBA	Hillingdon Borough	H	ACYL		

ACYL = Allied Counties Youth League; FAY = FA Youth Cup; ACYL = Allied Counties Youth League Cup; MCYC = Middlesex County Youth Cup

ALLIED COUNTIES LEAGUE EAST DIVISION

	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	Pts
1 Northwood	9	6	2	1	24	9	15	20
2 Rayners Lane	10	4	2	4	22	17	5	14
3 Wembley	9	3	3	3	15	16	-1	12
4 Hillingdon Borough	7	3	2	2	16	16	0	11
5 Harefield United	7	2	3	2	12	14	-2	9
6 Chalfont St Peter	7	2	2	3	15	19	-4	8
7 Beaconsfield Town	9	2	0	7	15	28	-13	6



MATCH ACTION

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PITCHING IN ISTHMIAN LEAGUE
SOUTH CENTRAL DIVISION

SATURDAY 23rd MARCH 2024

ATT 146



Northwood

Anokye-Boadi 44, Williams 82, Stewart 87 (pen)

Hartley Wintney

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The Woods notched back-to-back wins for the first time since August as they followed their midweek thrashing of Badshot Lea with this comfortable success over Hartley Wintney at the Skyline Roofing Stadium. Ironically, both opponents over the past week were responsible for Northwood's heaviest defeats this season – both had won their home games 4-0.

It was not much of a surprise that manager Ben Bukowski named an unchanged starting line-up for the Woods, as Deago Dunbar-Bonnie was still ruled out with a hand injury, but there were two new faces on the bench in Denzel Effah and Julio Fresneda, who have arrived from Essex Senior League sides West Essex and Ilford respectively.

The Row, who have hit a loss of form with only one win from six games, made a change in goal with Adam Melville coming in for only his second appearance and there were without recent signing Charlie Wagstaffe who was suspended following

a red card last weekend in their 2-2 draw against Thatcham Town.

There was a slow start to the game with neither side getting to grips with the blustery wind but after fourteen minutes it was the Woods who made the first real attack. Dan Williams played a good ball through to Lucas Sinclair from inside his own half and the in-form striker cut in against defender Liam Gavin but fired his shot well over the bar.

Just a minute later, it was almost the opening goal. This time it was Harry McKenna with the approach work and he played it across to Williams who took it down superbly before a great strike beat Melville but crashed back off the foot of the post and was cleared.

Just after that, there was a sudden hailstorm sweeping across the ground with everyone taking cover as the play continued. Just as that was blowing over, the Row created their first chance with good work from Mason Obeng seeing him get into the box and his shot was

well-saved at close-range by Andrew McCorkell.

That appeared to kick-start the Woods again though as they dominated the remainder of the half with Harry McCorkell seeing a header cleared off the line and then the same player was gifted an opportunity when Melville made a hash of a clearance but he lobbed wide.

Northwood had the ball in the net on thirty two minutes as Kofi Anokye-Boadi was put through to fire home but it was ruled out by an offside flag and six minutes later it was McCorkell who again got his head to a Williams free-kick but Melville made a comfortable save.

GOAL ALERT
1-0 Kofi Anokye-Boadi (44)

A corner from Sam Jenkins curled into the near-post had to be headed off the line after forty three minutes and with half-time approaching the Woods finally made a breakthrough as Williams fired a good strike from wide on the right of the box.



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Melville made a good save with a parry but Anokye-Boadi pounced on the loose ball and stabbed it home for his fifth goal in his last seven appearances

HALF TIME
NORTHWOOD
HARTLEY WINTNEY

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The sun came out for the second-half and just four minutes in, McKenna put in a good run and cross to find Sinclair at the near-post and he tried to flick the ball up and over the 'keeper but it went wide.

It was another ten minutes until the next opportunity came Sinclair's way as McCorkell again nodded on a Luke Tingey throw to drop into his path but he was unable to get the necessary connection as the ball flew across the six-yard box.

Then Hartley finally began to ask a few questions of the Woods solid defence with some good play from midfield but they were profligate in the final third with Geroge Winsor, George Wallace and Tayo Ayebola all shooting well over the bar with shots from around the edge of the box while Jenkins cleared another dangerous ball into the centre

GOAL ALERT
2-0 Dan Williams (82)

And the Row were made to pay when Woods bagged a crucial second goal after eighty two minutes. Sinclair did all the hard work, getting the better of Winsor on the right, keeping the ball in with some good footwork and then cutting it back to Williams who sent a right-footed shot into the net.

GOAL ALERT
3-0 Carl Stewart (87 pen)

There was a debut run-out for Effah, who replaced Sinclair two minutes later and the newcomer was soon bundled over by fellow substitute Isaac Ebejer, an action which saw the Referee point to the spot. Carl Stewart stepped up to send Melville the wrong way to complete the 3-0 scoreline.

FULL TIME
NORTHWOOD
HARTLEY WINTNEY

3
0

WOODS LINE-UP A. McCorkell, McKenna, Jenkins (James 90 + 1), Stewart, Tingey, Langley, Anokye-Boadi, Stacey, Sinclair (Effah 85), Williams (Fresneda 90 + 3), H. McCorkell
Unused Sub: Grant, Gallagher



INTRODUCING OUR VISITORS

SOUTH PARK (REIGATE)



South Park Football Club was formed in 1897 and immediately became founder members of the Redhill & District Football League along with other local clubs Godstone, Meadvale and Reigate Priory Reserves. The club remains a member today.

Although the facilities were basic the early matches were played in the original sports field which was in upper South Park between Crescent Road and Church Road. In 1925 under the direction of Canon Gregory from the local church, the football club together with the village cricket club formed the South Park Sports Association with the aim of the Association to provide sport and sporting facilities for the people of South Park. Within a few years it was realised that this new concept would be better served by an improvement in facilities and playing conditions. Fortunately for both club's suitable

land existed in Whitehall Lane, the clubs current home and with the co-operation of the public spirited landowner, Harold Swannack, four acres of ground were purchased there. Always strapped for cash in these early years, the money was raised for the field largely by public subscription, which included door to door collections.

In order to preserve the land as a permanent sports ground, great foresight was exercised in vesting the land and subsequent purchases of further lots of two acres and four acres making ten acres in all in the National Playing Fields Association, now known as Fields in trust. The land became known as the 'King Georges Field' from 1935. The changing rooms were located on the far side of the field from Whitehall Lane at the bottom of the number two football pitch. Although the facilities were an

improvement on their previous home they remained basic.

The football club flourished in the years leading to the Second Great War but obviously declined during and immediately after it. A handful of stewards rallied to the cause however and quickly resurrected its fortunes. One legacy of the hostilities, the air raid shelter, became the focus of attention when it became clear that further improvements were needed to the facilities if sporting aspirations were to be advanced. Thus it was that a shower room and toilet block and a modest clubhouse were attached to this building. Funding for this was achieved through the tireless efforts of the 'Friends of South Park Sports Association' organisation. Despite these commendable efforts, the Association lived for many years on a hand to mouth basis with the management all too frequently having



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to put their hands into their own pockets to ensure its survival.

During this period the playing side of the football club flourished with numerous honours won in the local leagues and cups together with appearances in County Cup finals. The club were also honoured in the fact that a number of players progressed to senior football with clubs such as Redhill and Eastbourne Town in the fifties and sixties, the heyday of non league football.

The seventies and eighties brought further improvements to the changing facilities and clubroom and the purchase of the land that is now our main pitch were made. In the early seventies the football club started the junior's section. Over the years the number of teams has increased on a regular basis and today we have boy's teams from under eight's through to under sixteen's.

In 1997 the football club celebrated its Centenary year, the highlight of which was a celebratory dinner held at Reigate Manor Hotel at which over 150 people attended. Many players both past and present attended along with guests from The Football Association and Surrey County Football Association. The club was presented with its own unique framed certificate from the Football Association to mark this occasion.

The club was once again celebrating in 1998 when Geof Thatcher was awarded a Gold Medal by the Football Association to commemorate over 50 years service to football, the whole period with our club dating back to the war years when the club only played friendly matches as their was no competitive football during the war.

2001 saw Reigate Town Football Club move to South Park and the club became known as South Park & Reigate Town Football Club. In 2002 the club saw the formation of the first girl's team to play under the club's name and we now have four girl's teams. The following year saw the introduction of the youth team who are currently playing in the Southern Youth Floodlight League. The youth

team played their home matches at Merstham Football Club from 2003-2007 as at the time we did not have floodlights.

For the 2003/04 season the club reverted back to its original name of South Park Football Club. In February 2004 the club became only the fifth in Surrey to be awarded the status of 'FA Charter Standard Community Club'. In 2006 the first team were promoted to the Combined Counties Football League and as our new changing facilities were being built played their home matches at Cranleigh. In their first season in the Combined Counties League the team finished in seventh place in the league. 2007 saw the completion of our new changing rooms and the erection of floodlights around our main pitch. This ensured that our first and youth teams could now play their home matches in South Park.

The 2008/09 season saw another landmark in the history of the club when we hosted Shoreham in our first ever FA Vase game. The 2009/10 season saw the club finish in their highest position (6th) since joining the Combined Counties League. The club has continued to progress and in August 2010 our stand will be erected which will give us the ground grading required for the first team to

gain promotion. The 2010/11 season will see the club participate in the FA Cup for the time with an away tie against Greenwich Borough in the extra preliminary round. This game was covered by ITV Sport to start their Road to Wembley coverage as were our subsequent ties against Horsham YMCA and Cray Wanderers. The first team won the Surrey Premier Cup Final and the Lemon Recordings Division One Challenge Cup in addition to being promoted to the Premier Division of the Cherry Red Records Combined Counties League.

The 2011/12 saw South Park finish in eighth position in their first season in the Combined Counties League Premier Division. A good run in the FA Carlsberg Vase saw us reach the Fourth Round where we were beaten by Whitley Bay, the Vase winners for the previous three seasons. Playing in the Surrey Senior Cup for the first time Park beat Ryman Premier League Kingstonian and Leatherhead before finally being knocked out in the quarter finals by Conference South Sutton Utd. Season 2012/13 saw the club reach the 4th Qualifying Round of the FA Cup with Budweiser where we played Metropolitan Police in front of a club record attendance of 643. The team finished the season in 4th place in the league and reached the league cup final.



The 2013/14 season saw South Park win the Combined Counties League Premier Division and in doing so gain promotion to the Isthmian League Division One South. Our first season at step four saw us finish in a creditable 14th position. Each season has seen us improve on the previous season's league position with an 8th place finish in 2016/17. The 2016/17 season also saw us reach the 2nd Round of the FA Trophy where we drawn away to Tranmere Rovers. South Park finished the 2017/18 season in 13th place in the league. They also reached the semi finals of the Surrey Senior Cup for the first time. Malcolm Porter announced that he would be stepping down as manager due to business commitments at the end of the 2017/18 season. Mick Sullivan was appointed as manager however after a poor start to the season the club accepted his resignation in mid October. Jay Lovett was appointed manager and took charge of his first game at the beginning of November. Park went into the final game of the season needing to match Molesey's result to retain their step 4 status. Park gained a 3-2 victory to secure

their Step 4 status.

The Sparks made a solid start to the 2019/20 season however manager Jay Lovett resigned at the beginning of November to take up a similar position at Burgess Hill. Martin Dynan was appointed as Manager in mid November. He guided Park to the ¼ finals of the Surrey Senior Cup and maintained their mid table position before the season was abruptly halted due to the Covid 19 pandemic. The 2020/21 season curtailed after 8 games due the pandemic. The 2021/22 season saw Park sitting in mid table in late January when Martin Dynan resigned. The club acted swiftly and appointed Redhill Manager Harrison Williams. Harrison and his management team settled in quickly and Park finished in 9th place in the league. Harrison resigned at the end of November 2022. Assistant Manager Tom Cope was appointed manager and the side matched the previous years finish of 9th place in the league with a higher points total.

Ahead of the 2022/23 season the club name was amended to South Park (Reigate) FC.

The Manager Tom Cope



Former assistant manager, Tom Cope was appointed Manager of the Sparks at the end of November 2022 after Harrison Williams resigned and the 48-year-old led South Park to a ninth place in the league.



MEET THE SPARKS

GOALKEEPERS

DANNY BRACKEN

Close season signing who played over 500 games for Corinthian-Casuals before spending last season with Carshalton Athletic.

DEFENDERS

JACK TUCKER

Defender signed in the close season having previously been with Corinthian-Casuals.

JAMES MCELLIGOTT

Rejoined the club ahead of the 2022/23 season and is approaching 200 appearances for the club.

KELVIN MANUEL MASSANGO

Left sided defender who can also play further forward. Joined the club last season.

STEPHAN AIWONE

Another member of the County Cup winning Youth team last season who has stepped up to the first team squad this season.

CONNOR GRAY

Signed in the close season. Previous club Met Police.

SAM TUTT

Resigned for the club in November 2023 following a spell at Walton & Hersham FC.

DANIEL PAPPOE

Recent signing from Chipstead who made his debut in the 2-2 draw away to Marlow in December.

WILLIAM GRIEVESEN

Signed for the club in December 2023 from Ashford Town Middx and made his debut against Guernsey on New Years Day.

MIDFIELDERS

RYAN HEALY

Club captain re-signed for the club at the start of the 2022/23 season having played on loan from Carshalton Athletic in the 2018/19 season.

BRENDAN MURPHY-MCVEY

Joined the club at the end of the 2021/22 season. Ball playing midfielder who can unlock a defence with his range of passing.

SAM KING

Joined the club in February 2022. Can play anywhere across the midfield or in attack.

CRAIG MCGEE

Joined the club in the summer of 2022 and scored the winner against one of his former clubs, Leatherhead in the 2nd game of last season.

TOM SMITH

Signed from Chipstead in September 2023.

FORWARDS

KIERAN LAVERY

Has rejoined the club for the 2022/23 season after 5 seasons away and looking to add to his 400 appearances and 209 goals for the club.

AIDAN BROWN

Scored 9 goals in a short spell with us last season. Rejoined the club in the close season.

DEONDRE DATE

Top goal scorer for the Youth team last season helping them win the County Cup. Also scored twice for the first team at the end of last season.

COURTNEY SWABY

Re-signed for the club from Sutton Common Rovers in December 2023 having been at the club during the 21/22 season

Ryan Healy



Craig McGee



Courtney Swaby





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Luke Tingey



Luke is an experienced 26-year-old defender who joined the Woods in February 2022 from Isthmian Premier side Potters Bar Town. He started off at the MK Dons Youth Academy and then went on to notch almost 200 games at Step 3 for Hendon FC. He also had a short spell with St Albans City. Made skipper during an almost ever-present 2022-23 season, he won the Managers' Player of the Year award and is back from another term.

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Harry Gallagher



Harry came late to Saturday non-League football having only started playing in 2021-22 with Broadfields United having trained with Northwood for much of 2022. The 25-year-old has registered with the Woods for the last season and continued to develop, also bagging the bonus of scoring Goal of the Season. He returns for a second year.

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Teddy Stacey



26-year-old Teddy joined us from Hadley FC. He was at Tottenham as a youth and then went to the US where he represented Northwood College in Michigan as well as playing for Greater Lowell Rough Diamonds. He's a versatile player who can play in defence or midfield and enjoyed a fine first season at the higher level, taking the Managers' Player of the Year award. Missed the first half of last season but is now approaching 50 appearances for Woods and returns for a third term.

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Andrew McCorkell



Experienced goalkeeper who had a short spell with the Woods back in 2017 after release from MK Dons where he picked up representative honours in Northern Ireland's U19s. He had already made appearances at Hendon and Chesham United. In recent years he has had spells with Beaconsfield, Hayes & Yeading, Chalfont St Peter and, most recently, Bedfont Sports before joining in 2022. He was ever-present during that first season.

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Sam Jenkins



Sam originally joined the club in July 2018 having previously been at Harpenden Town. He won the Managers Player of the Year award at the end of that season but joined Chesham United where he stayed for three years, though with injury issues. He came to the Woods on dual-registration several times but returned permanently for 2022. Now approaching 75 appearances for the club, he's back for another year.

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Romario Jonas



Romario is a 25-year-old defender who joined on dual-registration with Harwell Town in July 2022. He made his name with some impressive performances at Ashford Town (Middx) and earned a move to Step 3 side Hendon where he made almost 50 appearances over two seasons. He has had short spells with Bracknell Town and Chalfont St Peter but was then part of the successful Harwell side that won promotion through the play-offs back in May 2022.

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Deago Dunbar-Bonnie



Only 20, Deago is a left-back who was with Stoke City and Leyton Orient as a youth. He had spells with Maldon & Tiptree and Hullbridge Sports upon his release from the O's and last season played for Kings Langley while also dual-registering with Duxhey Jets. He is dual-registered with Harrow Borough.

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The 19-year-old striker has been on the management's radar for quite some time and they finally got him on board in the summer of 2023 having enjoyed a couple of good years with Tring Athletic in the Spartan South Midlands League. Prior to that he played for Dunstable Town. He will be looking to take that further step up the levels with the Woods this season.

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Kofi Anokye-Boadi



Kofi moved to Northwood in July 2023 having played for both Chipstead and Bedford Sports last season. The attacking midfielder started as a youth at Barnet and at 23 will be looking to establish himself with the Woods.

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Carl Stewart



Former Watford youth midfielder Carl Stewart signed on a dual-registration basis from Beaconsfield Town in November 2021. Carl is a 26-year-old who was also at Udinese as a youngster and then played in Poland for Zagłębie Sosnowiec. He has also had short spells at Oxford City, Banbury United, Bedford Sports, Wingate & Finchley and most recently, Marlow. He won the coveted Players' Player of the Year award in 2022 and has been virtually ever-present in the Woods midfield, clocking up over 75 appearances.

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Graham Mann

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Harry McKenna



Young, 19-year-old academy prospect at National League side Aldershot Town, Harry has joined the Woods in October 2023 with a view to impressing in his midfield role.

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Dan Williams



Returning to the Woods in mid-January 2024 after a brief spell at Uxbridge, Dan is a 26-year-old striker who came through the successful Hendon U23 side and then made a huge impact at Chalfont St Peter with plenty of goals. He then moved to Tooting B Mitcham and Bedfont Sports in 2021/22 before joining Uxbridge in the summer of 2022. From there he joined the Woods in February 2023. Despite being away for a couple of months, he remains Woods top scorer this season.

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Harry McCorkell



24-year-old midfielder who joins the Woods from North Greenford United where he scored 10 goals in 44 games last season. Prior to that Harry enjoyed six seasons with Herefield United, making over 100 appearances and he now teams up with his older brother as he looks to make the step up.

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Riccardo Alexander-Greenaway



The 23-year-old midfielder joined the Woods on a dual-registration basis from Southern Premier side Hendon in March 2022 but only played one game. Ric had previously played at Chalfont St Peter for two seasons, being named Player of the Year in 2019/20. He signed on permanently for the 2022/23 season and played a huge part in bolstering the midfield area.

Now starting a second season, Ric is just short of 50 appearances and has also been amongst the goals.

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Matt Messer



Young, 22-year-old goalkeeper has signed for the Woods as cover for the established McCorkell and will be looking to progress during the season. He joins from Holmer Green where he featured 25 times during the last campaign.

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Josh Helmore



Experienced forward, now 31, Josh returned to the Woods in December 2022 having had a short spell at Arlesley Town. He originally arrived in November 2022 from Binfield and is now closing in on 50 appearances having also bagged more than 20 goals. He has also played for Reading City, Gloucester City and Thatcham Town.

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Archie James



Young 18-year-old who has signed forms for Northwood in January 2023 having impressed for near-neighbours Oxhey Jets in his first season of senior football. Bags of potential, he will be looking to continue his development at the higher level.

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Keagan Cole

Player/Assistant Manager



Keagan arrived at Northwood in a player-coach role in November 2021 having skippered Potters Bar Town at Step 3 and after a short spell with Walthamstow FC. Prior to that he came up through the youth ranks at Hendon to become the youngest player to make over 100 appearances for Hendon. Just turned 24 and an inspirational skipper who picked up the Supporters Player of the Year award in 2022. Now installed as Assistant Manager.

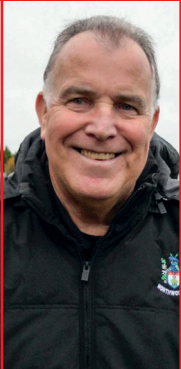
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Manager: **Ben Bukowski**

Assistant: **Keagan Cole**

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- Dan **O'Brien**
- Teddy **Stacey**
- Deago **Dunbar-Bonnie**
- Luke **Tingey**
- Harry **Gallagher**
- Romario **Jonas**
- Carl **Stewart**
- Riccardo **Alexander-Greenaway**
- Harry **McCorkell**
- Harry **McKenna**
- Sam **Jenkins**
- Kofi **Anokye-Boadi**
- Josh **Helmore**
- Dan **Williams**
- Godlove **Opong**
- Keagan **Cole**
- Mikey **Tierney**
- Ben **Crowder**
- Stephen **Langley**
- Lucas **Sinclair**
- Alex **Grant**
- Julio **Fresneda**
- Denzel **Effah**
- Jeremy **Stewart**



SOUTH PARK (REIGATE)

Colours: Green

Manager: **Tom Cope**

Assistant: **Ben Ewing**

- Danny **Bracken**
- Jack **Tucker**
- Daniel **Pappoe**
- William **Grievesen**
- Ryan **Healy**
- Brendan **Murphy-McVey**
- Sam **King**
- Kieran **Lavery**
- Aiden **Brown**
- Craig **McGee**
- James **McElligott**
- Kelvin Manuel **Massango**
- Deondre **Date**
- Connor **Gray**
- Tom **Smith**
- Marco **Haigh**
- Courtney **Swaby**
- Cerny **Ando**
- Mathias **Tepe**
- Ibrahim **Bangura**

MATCH OFFICIALS

Referee:

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Assistants:

Paul Sangster

6 Bogdan Caraghin

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Saturday 27th April 2024

Kick-Off 3pm

Pitching In Isthmian League South
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Thursday 18th April 2024

Kick-Off 7.45pm

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