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12:30pm

MBA Lounge Opens for Hospitality

1pm

Turnstiles, Fanzone, Bars and Food Kiosks Opens

1pm

Early Kick-Off Matches Shown Live in Rowlen's Bar

1:15pm

Football Actitivies* in Fanzone

1:30pm

Club Shop in Fanzone opens, inc. colouring competitions

1:30pm

Supporters' Club Hub Opens

2pm

Starting Team Announced

2:15pm

First Team Warm-Ups Begin

2:30pm

Kids' Pitchside Experience

3pm

Kick-Off

3:45pm

Half Time

5pm

Full Time - Bars Remain Open



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We welcome Boston United, this afternoon's visitors to the VBS Community Stadium, after what for them must have ultimately been a satisfactory first season back in the National League.

Many would have written them off as relegation certainties with much of the season gone, alongside Ebbsfleet. With twenty points in nine games towards the close of the season manager Graham Coughlan achieved what to others had looked impossible and Boston maintained their status in the division with a game to spare. Season two started as just as challenging but a win on Wednesday night has seen the Pilgrims lift themselves away from the relegation places, with the hosts today finding themselves in a more worrying spot following just a point earned at Woking on Tuesday.

That league position was ultimately behind the concern leading to the mutually agreed departure of Steve Morison from his position as First Team Head Coach. Whilst undoubtedly the tough combination of fixtures over the first quarter of the season can justifiably excuse the difficulty in achieving points, in a results-driven business, and with confidence such an important component of success within sport, that difficult decision was arrived at early enough to allow a successor a full opportunity to turn fortunes

around. This was something of course that Steve recognised having been limited when he took over himself, ultimately falling just short in the battle to avoid relegation out of Division Two of the Football League.

It goes without saying the Board were thankful for everything Steve achieved whilst at the Club. His mission was not just one of managing the football side over successive matches, but he was a key driver of raising standards and the infrastructure required off the pitch in setting up a club ready for Football League participation once again in the future. This was something the Board conceded in hindsight we were insufficiently prepared for when promoted as champions of the National League in 2021, and over our three-season tenure in the EFL.

Jon has taken the team for the last two matches, alongside Terry Bullivant as Director of Football – no stranger to a dugout, but less recently – and our frustrations have continued. Just one point from the available six away from home, but in both matches we expected more and came away disappointed. Two penalty decisions particularly at Woking add to the sense of asymmetry in how the footballing gods are looking down on us this season. We can only look forward at the remaining fixtures and take comfort not just from the path of our opponents today over the 2024–25 season, but also consider clubs like Southend and how they started last season and where they finished it. With belief and a new manager, and an eventual change in luck, I remain confident of consolidating in a healthier league position soon enough.

Whilst this is Boston's second season in the National League in the current run, they are a club with a pedigree at this level and supporters of Sutton like myself will be familiar with past meetings between the clubs at this level. Indeed Boston's pedigree is stronger than ours and as National League – or Nationwide Conference – champions before us they took themselves into the Football League for a short stint, albeit longer than ours, in Division Two. It may be twenty years or so later we renew rivalries once more but many in the crowd will recall past matches and seasons competing against each other.

In previous programme notes I have made reference to other teams across the club, and it is particularly pleasing that the last three first team matches have showcased the pathway our young players are progressing along, demonstrating our longer term vision and execution as a Club. It is always tempting to look at the immediate ills of the first team and extrapolate the long term health on the back of them. Against Brighton Steve played many of our brightest academy prospects, and again a defeat can be argued to be harsh given the statistics. That has continued under Jon, and it was particularly pleasing to see Charlie Bell not just make his first team league debut, but in the process join a short list of Sutton United goalscorers aged under 18 in the process. Whoever ultimately comes in to take over will know the Board is committed to a policy of investing in young players and developing them for a future in the professional game, whether with us or other clubs.

Our women's team also progressed in the Women's FA Cup, and the dream of a home fixture against Crystal Palace in a future round remains on! Similarly, Jimmy Dack will be leading the youngsters in their pursuit of silverware with a home fixture in the FA Youth Cup against Knaphill scheduled for this Wednesday, 1st October, at the VBS. Without doubt both teams will be grateful for your support. Looking forward to a successful weekend across all of the club's teams.

Up the U's!

TAKE A GANDER

The latest from around Gander Green Lane



Official: Kyri Neocleous Departs

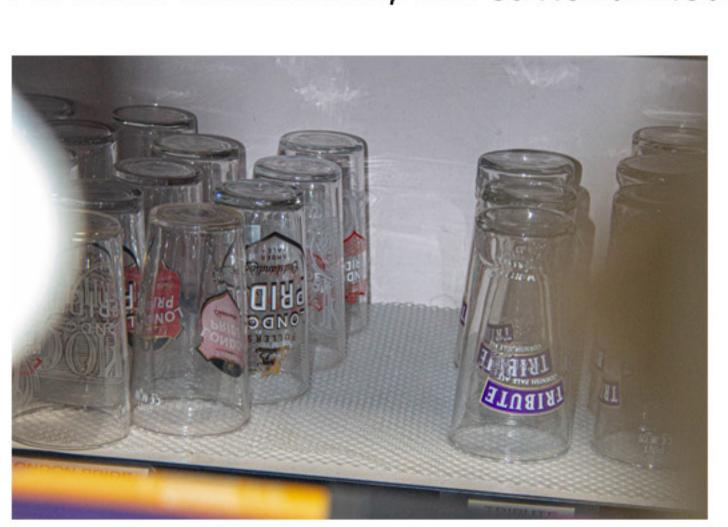
Sutton United Football Club can confirm the departure of Kyri Neocleous by mutual consent.

We wish Kyri all the best for the future.

News: Curry & a Pint for £15 – The Perfect Pre-Match Warm-Up at the VBS

There's nothing better than combining great food, great company, and great football – and Sutton United fans can do just that with our Curry & a Pint offer for just £15, ahead of our home match against Yeovil Town.

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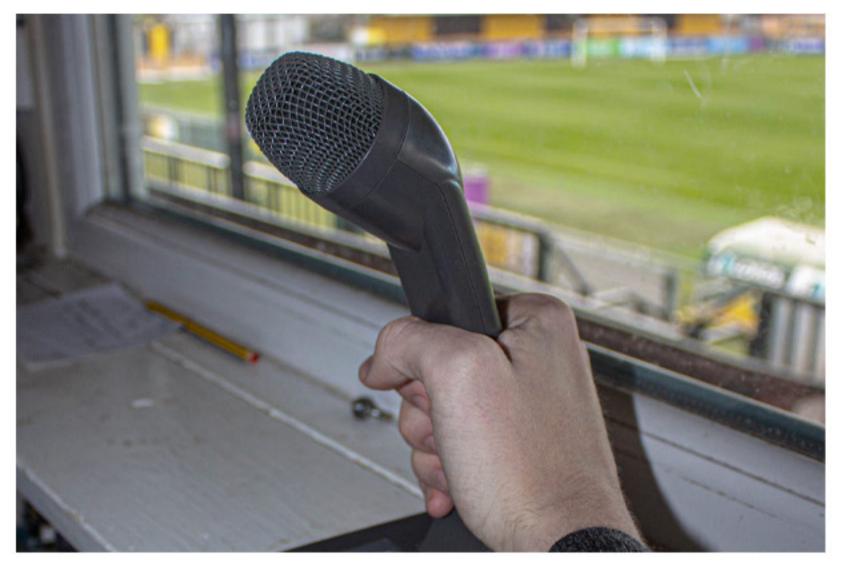


News: All Indoor Bar Areas Now Serving Drinks in Glassware

We're excited to share that all indoor bar areas will now serve drinks in proper glasses for the rest of the season.

For more information, visit **suttonunited.net**.





Vacancies: PA Announcer & Voluntary Programme Contributor

Two exciting opportunities have become available at Sutton United Football Club on a volunteer basis, within the Media & Communications team.

We are seeking to recruit a PA Announcer and a Programme Contributor.

If interested, please contact jack.daly@suttonunited.net.

News: An Evening With Terry Bullivant – Postponed

Unfortunately, Thursday's 'Evening with Terry Bullivant' was postponed.

A new date will be announced in due course.



BOOM BOOM CLUB LIVE VENUE

Boom Boom Club: Additional Dates Confirmed

The Boom Boom Club can confirm additional dates over the next few months.

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There was no Strikers Are Key draw on Saturday, therefore there will be a triple draw after today's game against Boston.

This will include draws for our fixtures against Boreham Wood and Tamworth, with a minimum of £200 in the safe for the first draw. Please do join us in the bar for the spectacle.

As ever, if you have anything you want to chat about, ideas or feedback, do drop me a line **slo@suttonunited.net** or grab me on matchdays. I really do want to hear what you have to say and work together to make our club the best it can be.

Claire #ForeverAmber

SUFC FUUNDATION

This week we celebrated our Parkinson's Football Session 1st Birthday.

The session has grown from just a couple of participants to over 20 regulars. It has not only helped participants by improving balance, mobility and mood, it has has created a wonderful community where people can share experiences, offer advice and make lasting relationships. This groups success has led to the creation of two Parkinson's boxing sessions and a new multi sport session due to begin soon.

Most spectacularly we are incredibly proud to see Karen Bagley called up to The England Women's Parkinson's Team. A very well deserved achievement for her and her family. It is also worth mentioning that Karen now runs our Over 35's Women's football sessions which we are incredibly grateful for. None of this would have happened without our Parkinson's Sessions.

We at The Sutton United Foundation want to thank Chris Corner for his tremendous efforts in growing and running all of our Parkinson's session. He is an incredible part of the team and deserve a huge appreciation.

If you or anyone you know would like to join any of the sessions above, please contact us on foundation@suttonunited.net.

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2025/26 STATS

League Position:

17th

Top Scorer:

Lenell John-Lewis (5 Goals - All Comps) **Goals Scored:**

10 (National League) 20 (All Comps)

Goals Conceded:

15 (National League)
16 (All Comps)

Goal Difference:

-5

Points:

11







defence.





1 | Rhys Lovett

Goalkeeper

Goalkeeper who joined Boston United in the summer, having spent last season in the National League South with Welling United. Started his career at Cheltenham Town but has since spent time in non league with Tiverton Town, Shepton Mallet, Shortwood United, Gloucester City, Maidenhead United, Billericay Town and Torquay United.

23 | Bobby Jones

Goalkeeper

Bobby Jones joined the Pilgrims in the summer following a successful campaign with Curzton Ashton where he played all but one game in goal. Previous clubs include Brackley Town, AFC Fylde and Stockport County.

2 | Ben Grist

Defender

Young central defender who started his career at Grimsby before earning a move to Leicester City. Grist spent last season on loan at Worksop Town, helping the Tigers earn promotion to the National League North.

3 | Michael Kelly

Defender

Scottish left sided full back who gained promotion with Scunthorpe United to the National League last season. A product of the Aberdeen and Leicester City academies, he previously played under Coughlan at Bristol Rovers, before turning out for Bath City, Yeovil Town and Eastleigh prior to his move to the Iron.

4 | Conor Teale

Defender

Young central defender who started his career in the Fleetwood Town academy, and joined the Pilgrims in November 2024 from Altrincham. Previous clubs include Arbroath, Alfreton Town and Farsley Celtic.

12 | Jacob Scott

Defender

Formerly of Northampton Town, Jacob Scott initially linked up with Boston's Under-23 side but spent last season amongst the First Team. Scott made his debut in March 2025 in a 3-0 win at Yeovil Town.

15 | Matty Carson

Defender

Matty Carson progressed through Burnley's academy before moving on to Accrington Stanley and Reading. Carson made 13 appearances for Grimsby Town last season, where he also enjoyed loan spells Radcliffe and Alfreton Town.

17 | Alex Lankshear

Defender

Central defender who started his career with St Albans City before earning a professional contract with Blackpool in the summer of 2022. Whilst at the Seasiders, Lankshear enjoyed loan spells with Dorking Wanderers, Welling United and Ebbsfleet United.

18 | Tom Fogarty

Defender

Young defender on loan from Birmingham City. Has spent time on loan with Ebbsfleet United and Dunfermline Athletic.

Internationally, Fogarty has 13 caps for Northern Ireland's youth sides.

32 | Jordan Cropper

Defender

Right sided fullback who joined in the summer after gaining promotion to the Football League with last season's champions, Barnet. Cropper was also part of the Grimsby Town side who gained promotion to the Football League in 2022. After starting his career at Burnley, he spent time on loan at Chesterfield prior to his move to the Mariners.

6 | Greg Sloggett

Midfielder

Greg Sloggett spent time with Boston on loan from Hartlepool United at the business end of last season, where he made nine appearances. Formerly of UCD, Derry City and Dundalk, the Irishman came over to England with a move to Cheltenham Town in 2024, and joined the Pilgrims permanently in the summer after leaving the Monkey Hangers.

7 | Rocco Coyle

Midfielder

Young midfielder who joined Boston on loan until January from Hull City for his first taste of senior football. Has been named on the Tigers' bench four times in a season where he also made 19 starts for the Under-21s.

10 | Frankie Maguire

Midfielder

Midfielder who joined Boston in the summer of 2024 after departing boyhood club Sheffield United. Has spent time on loan with Bradford Park Avenue, Kettering Town, Chester and Chorley.

19 | Jordan Richards

Midfielder

Jordan Richards came through the ranks at Notts County and had previously spent time on loan with the Pilgrims during the 2015/16 season. After departing Meadow Lane in 2017, Richards went on to feature for Gainsborough Trinity, King's Lynn Town and Brackley Town before returning to Boston in 2023

25 | Liam Waldock

Midfielder

Attacking midfielder who came through the Sheffield Wednesday academy. Since departing in 2022, Waldock has spent time with Alfreton Town and Gainsborough Trinity where he played a key part in their play-off push.

9 | Jacob Hazel

Forward

Jacob Hazel was the Pilgrims' top scorer last season, ending the campaign with 16 goals. A key player in Boston's hunt for promotion from the National League North, he scored in the penalty shootout wins against Alfreton Town and Scunthorpe United. Currently sidelined due to a knee injury sustained last season.

11 | Kieren Donnelly

Forward

Striker who joined in the summer after enjoying back-to-back prolific seasons with Halesowen Town, scoring 50 goals across he two seasons. Started his career at Aston Villa where he his original position was at full back.

16 | Jordy Hiwula

Forward

Signed in the summer following a season without competitive football, after leaving Morecambe in 2024. After leaving the Manchester City youth setup, he gained EFL experience with the likes of Yeovil Town, Walsall, Huddersfield Town, Wigan Athletic, Bradford City, Fleetwood Town and Coventry City, where he hit double figures in goals. He later moved to Portsmouth and Doncaster Rovers before a brief stint in Scotland with Ross County..

27 | Manni Norkett

Forward

A former Manchester United and Nottingham Forest youth product who spent last season on loan with Cheltenham Town, scoring in a 2-1 win against Accrington Stanley. Norkett departed the Reds in the summer to join Boston United permanently.





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HISTORIC RAMBLINGS

Written by Mark Frake

Three from the 27th September

A relatively quiet day on the Sutton football calendar with just seventeen previous matches on this date. The first two were against the Guards Depot played at Caterham Barracks. The South Suburban League (West) match was drawn (no other records found) but six years later, after WWI, Sutton won an FA Cup Preliminary Round tie by 5–1. Since that last fixture, U's have played five other away games winning three (the last of which is featured below) and losing once. That one reverse was in the FA Cup 2nd qual round at Yeading in 1986 and remains, for me anyway, the most humiliating defeat in the club's history as the London Spartan League leaders thrashed the new GMV Conference club, 4–1. Utterly depressing. Like the away encounters, the home list includes a number of cup ties with just four league matches played. U's are unbeaten (no pressure lads) winning seven of the ten matches.

The Match

We travel back just eleven years to 2014 for today's featured match and a trip to Theobalds Lane, home of Cheshunt FC as Sutton took on FC Romania in the FA Cup 2nd qual round. The Romanians plied their trade in the Essex Senior League and their colourful and noisy home following had sparked some outside interest in this tie. Paul Doswell's NL South side was a shoe-in to progress and while that prophesy was realised it was not without some anxious moments. Indeed, but for a lack of discipline exhibited by the hosts, this may have relegated the Yeading debacle mentioned above into second place in the humiliation table.

As at Yeading back in 1986, all seemed well for U's as first Craig Dundas was unceremoniously hacked down to allow Glen Southam to net an 18th minute penalty, his first goal for the club. U's continued to show their superiority and in the 39th minute Dundas was again felled in the box and Southam duly obliged. Two minutes later, Michael Spillane fired the ball in after the forward thrust had been initiated by Dundas. All very comfortable, a case of how many goals would United net.

However, FA Cup football is, of course, not always that predictable and in the second back. In the 51st minute Vasile cut in and his shot deflected off Kevin Amankwaah to wrong foot Alan Julian in the Sutton goal. A very cynical and poor challenge by Jacobs, who had conceded both penalties, saw the end of the lively Dale Binns and U's began to lose their fluency. Even so, Jesse Reindorf and Nick Bignall both squandered decent opportunities but the Romanians, roared on by the home fan contingent (a gate of 242 was recorded but the noise level suggested double that figure) kept going and in the 79th minute, Bugui made a positive forward run to set up Valise to fire the ball across Julian and in. Long gone was the comfort zone of half-time but U's held on to win the match and avoid another Yeading.

U's: Julian, Osborne, Binns (Evans), Spillane, Amankwaah, Clough, Haysman (Reindorf), Southam, Dundas, Gomis, Kuffour (Bignall)



The Player

Scoring in a 2-1 home defeat of Hayes in the Athenian League on this day in 1947 was inside forward, Fred Boatwright. Pre-WWII, Fred had played for the strong Leyton side before joining Redhill for the 1938/9 season. He returned to Leyton to play for them in war-time but joined Sutton in November 1946 and having featured in a number of reserve team matches made his senior debut on Christmas Day, 1946 against Tooting & Mitcham and the following day netted his first goals (2) in the return match at Sandy Lane, U's winning that by 4-1 after losing the home game, 4-3. Those early matches saw Fred employed on the right flank but he later switched to his favoured no 8 role as U's quest to retain their AL title failed on goal average to new champions, Barnet. He netted five goals in seventeen appearances by the end of that season. The following campaign would be Fred's last at Sutton; a short-lived career at GGL.

The club's post-WWII promise evaporated over the '47/8 season and by the New Year they had scored just eleven AL goals in nineteen matches. Fred scored just one of those, the Hayes match mentioned above and while he was a permanent fixture in the side playing on either flank or inside, he didn't register another goal. For the last few weeks of the season, he joined Epsom Town. The 1948/9 season saw him at Redhill and then Erith & Belvedere before returning to Epsom for the '50/1 term. Fred played 48 times for Sutton scoring eight goals.

The Programme

The early 1950's features today and the programme for the FA Cup tie with Hounslow Town in 1952 that Sutton won, 3-2. Following a season of "newspaper" style issues, the club produced it's first bigger size eight page programme (bigger than the two late '40's early '50's progs featured recently). Printed in brown on beige paper (cover below) this would be the standard issue for much of the period up to and including the 1973/4 season. In terms of presentation, this was arguably the best version. The inside cover held club notes written by WGR, Bill Roberts. The notes referenced the signing of George Rumble by Aston Villa, Don Stoker's obligatory inclusion in the Surrey FA squad and a paragraph on the reserves managed by club legend, Claude Pettitt. Below the notes, the following Saturday's senior and reserve fixtures were advertised.

The top half of page 3 showed the current AL tables with just one win in a combined nine matches across senior and reserve teams; the $\frac{52}{3}$ season would be one of the worst in the club's history. One of the adverts was for the

would be one of the worst in the club's history. One of the adverts was for the programme printers, C Evans & Sons Ltd based in New Malden. The middle pages presented the teams surrounded by adverts, Sutton Times, a decent alternative to The Advertiser and Herald for local sports coverage of the time had a square in the top left corner. Page 6 showed fixtures and results including an opening day 3-11 reverse for the reserve XI at Hitchin Town. The inside back page was given over to the Supporters' Club announcing the life-membership for a Mr R Adams of Sydney, Australia after his kind financial donation. A forerunner to Smithy Down Under perhaps? These notes were compiled by another club legend, Arthur "Toffee" Evenden. The back page advertised Supporters' Club merchandise and events and included Toffee's home telephone number. Not sure how that would work out these days? With less adverts and more club information provided this was an excellent start to the eight page design (it wouldn't get any better) and cost 2d.



SUFC v Boston United

Last season Boston completed a National League double over U's. While the 3-0 win at GGL just over a year ago was comprehensive in score line at least, The Pilgrims were arguably a tad fortunate with their 2-1 home win, scoring late on, on a windy afternoon at the Jakemans Community Stadium. Those two matches were the first between the two clubs since March 1991 and in the interim period both have enjoyed EFL status. Prior to last season all ten matches between the two sides had been in the NL forerunner, the GMV Conference.

As last season, Boston have the upper hand being unbeaten against Sutton at their old York Street stadium, U's picking up three draws in five visits while at GGL, they recorded one win in September 1987. Of the other four Sutton won two by 3-1 in January '87 and 2-0 also in January, this time 1990. That was U's last success against Boston and look to end a five match winless run, albeit over a twenty-five year period, this afternoon. U's top goal scorer in matches with Boston is Paul McKinnon with three goals.

U's record at GGL W2 D 2 L2 F6 A6



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REWIND 5

Photos by Paul Loughlin









WOKING

Chin Okoli (37')

SUTTON UNITED

Charlie Bell (64')









Jääskeläinen

Drewe

Odusina

Okoli

Richards

Hinds

Beautyman

Turner

Andrews (Akinola 75')

O'Brien (Sanderson 81')

Kelly (Osude 75')



SUTTON UNITED

Sims

Jones

Eccleston (Njoku 60')

Taylor

Pruti

Vincent (Tizzard 77')

Wadham (Harris 46')

Bell (Crichlow 85')

Simper

Ogbonna (De Silva 46')

Nadesan





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THE U'S REPORT | 29

THE DAVID WEIR DIARIES

The latest news from David Weir Leisure Centre; the home of the Sutton Academy and Women's teams.

Sutton extended their unbeaten run to five games in the EFL Youth Alliance South with a 2–0 home win over Swindon, both goals coming from Swindon own goals.

Rashaad Drysdale caused problems on the right, setting up Omolotani Bello for the first, which deflected in off a defender. Sutton created several chances, with Charlie Bell and Adam Reeves going close, while Mehmet Halim left with a shoulder injury.

The second goal came late as Bello's shot was saved but rebounded off a defender, and Sutton held on despite late Swindon pressure.

The U's then secured a third straight win in the National League U19 Alliance South, overturning a deficit with two late goals against Dagenham.

Chances were limited in a blustery first half, Jayden Keteku striking the post before Dagenham were denied a goal by a referee's whistle. The visitors did go ahead on 66 minutes through Marcell De Sousa Bonwite's header. Sutton equalised when Bobby Sheargold finished Jayden Oberotimi's assist, and despite Omotolani Bello missing a golden chance, he redeemed himself late on. Four minutes from time, Bello latched onto Dan Urpens' long throw via Tito Salaam's flick to clinch victory.

Sutton United Women started their FA Cup campaign in glorious style, sweeping Burgess Hill Women aside in a dominant 9-0 win.

Gabrielle Williams opened the scoring inside two minutes after a goalkeeper error, then netted again following an assist from Emma Spear. Spear quickly added her own goal at the back post, putting Sutton 3-0 within ten minutes.

Burgess Hill briefly steadied, but Sutton's attack proved relentless. Spear scored twice more, completing her hat-trick, while Sutton rattled the woodwork on two occasions. Williams then completed her own hat-trick early in the second half, with both forwards combining for seven goals.

Later, Williams added a fourth despite missing an earlier chance, and Beth Humphries capped the rout with a calm penalty.

Sutton's dominant display of speed, precision, and teamwork saw them comfortably progress to the third qualifying round, sending a clear message: they are serious contenders in this year's FA Cup.



Official: Sutton Women Swoop for Chase

Sutton United Football Club is delighted to confirm the signing of Cassie Chase.

The midfielder becomes the 15th signing of the summer for Lucy Clark, and joins from Hertford Town, with whom she joined ahead of the 2024/25 season.

Chase became a key member of the squad at Hertingfordbury Park, becoming known for her close control and attacking brilliance, with the ability to change the game quickly, and was recognised by winning the November Player of the Month award, before being named as the winner of both last season's Players' Player and Manager's Player of the Season awards.

Hailing from Hertfordshire, Chase was spotted playing for Garston Ladies' Junior team, and notably contributed to the club scoring a remarkable 36 goals in just seven weekend games during a period in 2012, before joining the Watford Academy prior to her move to Hertford.

Welcome to Sutton, Cassie!



Sutton United's Academy will host Knaphill in the FA Youth Cup Second Qualifying Round.

The clash will likely take place on Wednesday, 1st October at Gander Green Lane, meaning it would replace the NL Football Academy South game against Maidstone United.

Sutton Women will host Penn and Tyler's Green in the Adobe FA Cup Third Qualifying Round.

Lucy Clark's side booked their place in the next stage of the Adobe Women's FA Cup with an astonishing 9-0 rout against Burgess Hill Town, and now face a side who are currently unbeaten in Tier 6, and made it to the Third Qualifying Round after a 15-0 win over Caversham United.

The clash will take place on Sunday, 5th October at Meadowbank, Dorking (3:30pm KO).

They will also visit either Bromley or Eastbourne Borough in the L&SERWFL League Cup Second Round, and will find out who their opponents are on Sunday, 12th October, with the Sussex-based side heading to Hayes Lane for their First Round tie.

The Second Round will take place on Sunday, 9th November.



Wednesday, 1st October | 2pm Stoneham Lane Football Complex National League U19 Alliance Division F

Sunday, 28th September | 3:30pm Aylesford Recreation Ground London & South East Regional Football League Premier Division











THE LATEST THE LEAGUE

The latest news from around the Enterprise National League.

Four managers have joined the National League departure lounge over the last week.

Danny Webb's departure from Yeovil Town was as sudden as it was surprising. Appointed in mid-September 2025, he was in charge for just ten days and oversaw only one game, a 1–0 defeat to Tamworth. The club announced his resignation citing "personal and family reasons," with no suggestion of conflict or performance-related issues. Yeovil expressed regret at losing him so quickly, describing the circumstances as unfortunate but understandable.

The decision forced the Glovers into an early reshuffle, with Richard Dryden stepping in to steady the team for the remainder of the campaign and maintain continuity.



James Rowe and Craig Nelson both endured short, turbulent spells in charge of their clubs in the sixth tier. Rowe resigned from King's Lynn Town after a training-ground incident just four months into his tenure, while Nelson was dismissed by Tonbridge Angels after only 11 games, with the board prioritising long-term stability over his recent unbeaten run.





Kelvin Davis left Eastleigh in September 2025 after a disappointing start to the new National League season. The former Southampton goalkeeper had been appointed in 2024 and initially impressed, securing stability and earning a long-term contract. However, expectations were raised, and early results in 2025–26 fell well short. With Eastleigh languishing near the lower reaches of the table and performances lacking cohesion, the board lost patience. A home defeat to Braintree Town appeared to seal his fate. Both Davis and assistant Danny Butterfield were dismissed, with the club citing the urgent need for change to meet ambitions, and he has since been replaced by former Weston-super-Mare boss Scott Bartlett.





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FIXTURES & RESULTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Attendance	Enterpri	ise National Leag	igue				
Sat Aug 9	York City	2-2 D	5,937 (199 away)	Sims	Jones	Phipps▼	Taylor	Pruti	Vincent	Wood
Sat Aug 16	Solihull Moors	0-0 D	1,939(105 away)	Sims	Jones	Tizzard	Phipps	Pruti	Vincent	Wood
Wed Aug 20	Forest Green Rovers	4-0 L	1,463 (81 away)	Sims	Jones	Tizzard	Taylor	Pruti	Vaz 🔻	Simpe
Sat Aug 23	Scunthorpe United	2-3 L	2,332 (365 away)	Sims	Jones 🔻	Phipps	Taylor 😝	Pruti	Vincent	Odelu
Mon Aug 25	Rochdale AFC	1-0 L	2,647 (67 away)	Sims	Eccleston V	Phipps	Taylor	Pruti	Dabre 🔻	Crichl
Sat Aug 30	Carlisle United	2-1 W	2,507 (599 away)	Sims	Eccleston	Phipps	Taylor	Pruti 🍪	Boutin	Dabre
Wed Sep 3	Boreham Wood	3-4 L	1,852 (72 away)	Sims	Eccleston	Phipps	Taylor 🔻	Pruti 😌	Boutin	Wadh
Sat Sep 6	Altrincham	2-1 L	1,604 (77 away)	Sims	Jones 🔻	Phipps 🔻	Taylor	Vincent	Boutin	Wadh
Sat Sep 13	Tamworth	2-3 L	2,194 (89 away)	Sims	Jones 🔻	Phipps	Taylor	Pruti 🔻	Vincent	Odelu
Sat Sep 20	Brackley Town	1-0 L	883 (144 away)	Sims	Jones 🔻	Phipps	Taylor	Vincent	Wadham	Harris
Tue Sep 23	Woking	1-1 D	2,739 (225 away)	Sims	Jones	Eccleston 🔻	Taylor	Pruti	Vincent ▼	Wadh
Sat Sep 27	Boston United									
Tue Sep 30	Yeovil Town									
Sat Oct 4	Braintree Town									
Sat Oct 18	Hartlepool United									
Sat Oct 25	Wealdstone									
Wed Nov 5	Eastleigh									
Sat Nov 8	Morecambe									
Sat Nov 15	FC Halifax Town									
Sat Nov 22	Truro City									
Sat Nov 29	Gateshead									
Sat Dec 6	York City									
Sat Dec 20	Solihull Moors									
Fri Dec 26	Aldershot Town									
Tue Dec 30	Southend United									7
Sat Jan 3	Scunthorpe United									
Sat Jan 17	Forest Green Rovers									
Sat Jan 20	Woking									
Sat Jan 24	Tamworth									
Sat Jan 31	Brackley Town									
Sat Feb 7	Boston United									
Wed Feb 11	Braintree Town									
Sat Feb 14	Hartlepool United									
Sat Feb 21	Wealdstone									
Wed Feb 25	Yeovil Town									
Sat Feb 28	FC Halifax Town									
Sat Mar 7	Morcambe									
Sat Mar 14	Gateshead									
Sat Mar 21	Truro City									
Tue Mar 24	Eastleigh									
Sat Mar 28	Rochdale AFC									
Fri Apr 3	Aldershot Town									
Mon Apr 6	Southend United									
Sat Apr 11	Carlisle United									
Sat Apr 18	Altrincham									
Sat Apr 25	Boreham Wood									
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Tue Aug 12	Fulham	0-7 L	806	Aziaya	White	Tizzard	Taylor	Pruti 🔻	Vaz	Odelu
Tue Sep 16	Brighton & Hove Albior	n 1-2 L	437	Aziaya	Eccleston	Tizzard 🔻	Reeves	Boutin	Odelusi 🔻	Bell
Tue Oct 21	West Ham United									
Tue Nov 25	Southampton									
Date	Opponent	Score	Attendance	Surrey S	enior Cup					
Wed Oct 8	Guildford City									
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PLAYER STATISTICS



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	NATIONAL LEAGUE	NATIONAL LEAGUE CUP	Emirates FA CUP	THE ISUZU FATROPHY	2025/26 TOTAL
	APP SUB GLS	APP SUB GLS	APP SUB GLS	APP SUB GLS APP SUB GL	APP SUB GLS
1 Jack Sims	11 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	000 000	11 0 0
3 Liam Vincent	7 0 0	0 1 0	0 0 0	000 000	7 1 0
4 Alex Kirk	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	000 000	0 0 0
5 Harry Phipps	9 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	000 000	9 0 0
6 Siju Odelusi	2 5 0	2 0 0	0 0 0	000 000	4 5 0
7 Jaiden White	1 2 0	1 0 0	0 0 0	000 000	2 2 0
8 Lewis Simper	10 1 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	000 000	10 1 3
10 Ashley Nadesan	9 2 1	0 1 1	0 0 0	000 000	9 3 2
11 Dillon De Silva	1 4 0	2 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0	3 4 0
12 Eduino Vaz	1 0 0	1 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0	2 0 0
14 Edon Pruti	9 0 2	1 1 0	0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0	10 1 2
15 Will Tizzard	2 2 0	2 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0	4 2 0
16 Jack Taylor	10 0 1	1 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0	10 0 1
17 Aaron Jones	8 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0	8 0 0
18 David Ogbonna	5 6 2	1 1 0	0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0	6 7 2
19 Kane Crichlow	2 3 0	1 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0	3 3 0
20 Jack Wadham	8 2 0	1 1 0	0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0	9 3 0
21 David Aziaya	0 0 0	2 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0	1 0 0
22 Mo Dabre	2 1 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0	2 1 0
23 Jayden Harris	9 2 1	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0	9 2 0
24 Noa Boutin	4 0 0	1 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0	4 0 0
26 Junior Eccleston	4 5 0	1 1 0	0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0	5 6 0
30 Alex Woodyard	2 0 0	0 1 0	0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0	3 1 0
33 Mehmet Halim	0 0 0	1 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0	1 0 0
34 Brandon Njoku	4 7 2	2 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0	6 7 2
31 Adam Reeves	0 0 0	1 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0	0 1 0
36 Dan Urpens	0 0 0	0 1 0	0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0	0 0 0
37 Charlie Bell	1 0 1	1 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0	0 0 0
9 Henry Sandat	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0	2 0 1
Hayden Muller	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0	0 0 0
Nana Boateng	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	000 000	0 0 0

Out On Loan/Not in Squad

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LEAGUE TABLES



#	Team	PL	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	Pts
1	Forest Green Rovers	11	8	3	0	20	6	+14	27
2	Rochdale AFC	9	8	0	1	20	5	+15	24
3	Carlisle United	11	7	2	2	21	12	+9	23
4	Boreham Wood	10	6	3	1	20	12	+8	21
5	Scunthorpe United	9	5	4	0	16	8	+8	19
6	York City	9	5	3	1	20	7	+13	18
7	Southend United	10	5	3	2	16	8	+8	18
8	Hartlepool United	11	4	3	2	10	4	+6	17
9	Tamworth	11	5	5	4	13	15	-2	17
10	Brackley Town	10	4	4	2	10	8	+2	16
11	FC Halifax Town	11	4	3	4	14	18	-4	15
12	Wealdstone	11	4	2	5	17	17	0	14
13	Yeovil Town	11	4	1	6	14	16	-2	13
14	Eastleigh	10	4	1	5	12	14	-2	13
15	Aldershot Town	11	3	3	5	24	23	+1	12
16	Altrincham	11	4	0	7	15	18	-3	12
17	Boston United	10	3	2	5	10	15	-5	11
18	Gateshead	11	3	2	6	14	26	-12	11
19	Braintree Town	11	3	1	7	11	19	-8	10
20	Solihull Moors	11	2	4	5	13	22	-9	10
21	Woking	11	2	3	6	12	16	-4	9
22	Morecambe	8	2	1	5	12	22	-10	7
23	Sutton United	11	1	3	7	13	22	-9	6
24	Truro City	11	1	1	9	6	20	-14	4





SUTTON UNITED

INTERIM HEAD COACH

Jon Meeney

Jack Sims (GK)	1
Liam Vincent	3
Alex Kirk	4
Harry Phipps	5
Siju Odelusi	6
Jaiden White	7
Lewis Simper	8
Ashley Nadesan	10
Dillon De Silva	11
Eduino Vaz	12
Edon Pruti	14
Will Tizzard	15
Jack Taylor	16
Aaron Jones	17
David Ogbonna	18
Kane Crichlow	19
Jack Wadham	20
David Aziaya (GK)	21
Mo Dabre	22
Jayden Harris	23
Noa Boutin	24
Junior Eccleston	26

Alex Woodyard

Brandon **Njoku**

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MATCH OFFICIALS

Referee

Richie Watkins

Assistant Referee

Stuart Butler (Red/Yellow) Isabel Chaplin (Yellow)

Fourth Official

Ryan Whitaker

UP NEXT AT THE VBS COMMUNITY STADIUM

Sutton United vs Yeovil Town Tuesday, 30th September | 7:45pm KO



TODAY'S OTHER GAMES

Boreham Wood vs Woking (12:30pm KO)
Braintree Town vs Gateshead
Carlisle United vs Rochdale AFC
FC Halifax Town vs Aldershot Town
Hartlepool United vs Tamworth
Solihull Moors vs Brackley Town
Southend United vs Scunthorpe United
Truro City vs Morecambe
Wealdstone vs Eastleigh
Yeovil Town vs Altrincham
Forest Green vs York City (5:30pm KO)



BOSTON UNITED

MANAGER

Graham Coughlan

- 1 Rhys Lovett (GK)
- 2 Ben Grist
- 3 Michael Kelly
- 4 Connor Teale
- 5 Zak Mills
- 6 Greg Sloggett
- 7 Rocco Coyle
- 8 Dylan Hill
- 9 Jacob Hazel
- 10 Frankie Maguire
- 11 Kieren Donnelly
- 12 Jacob Scott
- 14 Lenell John-Lewis
- 16 Jordy Hiwula
- 17 Alex Lankshear
- **18** Tommy **Fogarty**
- 19 Jordan Richards
- 21 Bobby Jones (GK)
- 25 Liam Waldock
- 27 Manni Norkett
- 32 Jordan Cropper