RENHOLD FOOTBALL CLUB



HARLINGTON JUNIORS



Bedfordshire County League
Division One 2023-24
Saturday 9th September, 2023
Kick off 2.30pm
Official Matchday Programme





BEDFORDSHIRE COUNTY LEAGUE ROUND-UP

It was a positive start for Renhold in their opening Bedfordshire County League Division One match against Milton Keynes Dons SET Under-19s at Top End.

Jason Allison scored twice while the other goals came from Delroy Phillips, Sean Byrne and Jesse Sidhu.

The Dons reply came from Prosper Sube and Josh Wilson.

Last season's Division One champions Totternhoe Reserves clinched a 3-1 away victory against Buffs with goals from Blake Garner, Ryan Quinn and Russell Wilson. Kevin Jupp replied for the home side.

Joe Holmes grabbed a hat-trick as Wootton Blue Cross eased to a 6-3 victory at Luton side Lewsey Park.

Ertone Bomolo netted twice while the other goal came from Keaton Marsh.

Lewsey Park battled bravely and their goals came from Kieran Ogden, Chris Gibson and Joshua Ogden.

James Elkington-Soan fired home a hattrick as Bedford Albion eased to a 3-0 away triumph over newly-promoted Bedford SA.

The other Division One newcomers Harlington Juniors battled to a 1-1 at Cranfield United Reserves.

Jamie Small was on target for the visitors while Jamie Snapes scored for the hosts.

Henlow edged to a 2-1 success against AFC Oakley Development, whose effort came from Jonny Butler.

Newcomers Cambridge were unable to take on Clifton at home but are hoping to get a game when they travel to Totternhoe Reserves this afternoon. Another intriguing clash sees Wootton Blue Cross host Bedford SA.

BEDFORDSHIRE COUNTY LEAGUE FIRST DIVISION 2023-24

	Ρ	W	D	L	GD	Pts
Wootton Blue Cross	1	1	0	0	3	3
Renhold	1	1	0	0	3	3
Bedford Albion	1	1	0	0	3	3
Totternhoe Reserves	1	1	0	0	2	3
Henlow	1	1	0	0	1	3
Cranfield Utd Reserves	1	0	1	0	0	1
Harlington Juniors	1	0	1	0	0	1
Cambridge	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clifton	0	0	0	0	0	0
AFC Oakley Dev	1	0	0	1	-1	0
Buffs	1	0	0	1	-2	0
Lewsey Park	1	0	0	1	-3	0
Milton Keynes Dons U19	1	0	0	1	-3	0
Bedford SA	1	0	0	1	-3	0

As at 8th September

FIXTURES

Saturday 9th September

League

AFC Oakley Development v Lewsey Park Bedford Albion v Buffs Cranfield United Reserves v Henlow Milton Keynes Dons SET Under-19s v Clifton Renhold v Harlington Juniors Totternhoe v Cambridge Wotton Blue Cross v Bedford SA

Saturday 16th September

League

AFC Oakley Development v Wootton Blue Cross Buffs v Bedford SA Cambridge v Bedford Albion Harlington Juniors v Clifton Henlow v Renhold **Postponed** Lewsey Park v Cranfield United Reserves Milton Keynes Dons SET U19s v Totternhoe Res

WELCOME

Welcome to the officials, players and supporters of Harlington Juniors for this Bedfordshire County League Division One match along with the referee Luke Damon.

We are very pleased to announce that we have new sponsors - Green Light Consultancy - at Renhold Football Club.

It is pleasing to note we are receiving invaluable support from a local business.

This will help us to make a final push for a return to Bedfordshire County League Premier Division football.

To mark their support, we have a new green kit, which clearly is the colour of our sponsors. Also we have changed the base colour for this programme from red to green.

The players looked really smart in their new kit last weekend with Jason Allison scoring twice while the other goals came from Sean Byrne, Delroy Phillips and they fully deserved their 5-2 victory over Milton Keynes Dons SET Under-19s.

HALF-TIME TEASER

- 1. Which six players made 50 or more England appearances while with Liverpool?
- 2. Which seven clubs have reached the last four of the Football League Cup the most times?
- 3. How many 'Pauls' have won caps for England?
- 4. Which were the last ten clubs to reach the UEFA Champions League Group Stage for the first time?
- 5. Who plays at the ground pictured?



WHO PLAYS AT THE GROUND PICTURED?

Answers on Page 4

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FIRST TEAM FIXTURES

2023-24 SEASON

	FIX	DATE	OPPOSITION	COMP	KO/ RES	Р
	M1	Sep 02	Milton Keynes Dons U19s	BCL	5-2	
	M	Sep 09	Harlington Juniors	BCL	2.30	
	M	Sep 16	Henlow	BCL	PP	
	M	Sep 23	Lewsey Park	BCL	2.30	
	M	Sep 30	AFC Oakley Development	BCL	2.30	
	M	Oct 07	Cranfield United Reserves	BCL	2.30	
I	VI	Oct 14	Wootton Blue Cross	BCL	2.30	
I	VI	Oct 21	Stotfold Juniors	CC	2.30	

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Key

BCL: Bedfordshire County League First Division

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CC: Bedfordshire County Cup

HAVE A CUPPA IN THE CLUBHOUSE AT HALF TIME

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HALF TIME TEASER ANSWERS

- 1. Steven Gerrard (114), Jordan Henderson (76), Michael Owen (60), Emlyn Hughes (59), Ray Clemence (56) and Phil Neal (50).
- 2. Liverpool (18 Times), Manchester United (17 Times), Tottenham Hotspur (17 Times), Arsenal (16 Times), Aston Villa (15 Times), Chelsea (15 Times) and Manchester City (13 Times).
- 3. Fourteen: Paul Scholes (66), Paul Gascoigne (57), Paul Ince (53), Paul Robinson (41), Paul Mariner (35), Paul Madeley (24), Paul Merson (21), Paul Parker (19), Paul Walsh (5), Paul Bracewell (3), Paul Reaney (3), Paul Stewart (3), Paul Konchesky (2) and Paul Goddard (1).
- 4. Antwerp (2023-24), Union Berlin (2023-24), Eintracht Frankfurt (2022-23), Sheriff Tiraspol (2021-22), Rennes (2020-21), Midtjylland (2020-21), Krasnodar (2020-21), İstanbul Başakşehir (2020-21), Red Bull Salzburg (2019-20) and Atalanta (2019-20).
- 5. Hull City

COMMUNITY NEWS

☐ The Howbury Hall Open Garden is taking place at Howbury Hall in Renhold on Sunday 10th September from 2pm to 5pm. Adults £6 and Children Free.

COMMUNITY NEWS

- ☐ T.W.S.D.K Defence and Kickboxing takes place at Renhold Village Hall every Tuesday between 6pm and 7pm. The first lesson is free then £7 per session or £20 per month if you opt to pay monthly.
- ☐ Renhold Carpet Bowls Club overcame the heat to clinch a fine victory over Great Gransden. It was a competitive match but Renhold edged to a deserved 43-31 victory. A return encounter is currently being organised.



BOLD FIXTURES - HOME GAMES (1,2) - GOALS SCORED

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S.Chana Cowley France S-Anderson Chaggar

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COMMUNITY NEWS



The Polden Cricket Cup at Srubbery Lane Oval was keenly-contested and the record books show it was a six-run victory for Wilden.

However, Renhold Newcomers - not the Polhill Arms - ran them close.

Their best chance came when umpire Andy Webber brought in a new clause in the Duckworth-Lewis Law, usually used in bad weather.

On this occasion, the sun was actually shining but Mr Webber decided to use Duckworth-Lewis to add on two overs to the Newcomers innings.

This was because Wilden used members from their All Stars Youngsters Squad to bowl the opening overs. And they were too good for the Renhold batsmen. The ECB are apparently investigating the misuse of Duckworth-Lewis at Lord's with two bottles of gin.

The Newcomers were all out for 98 with Ross making 25 and Ravi 17 while the best Wilden fielding effort was by umpire Webber although he claimed he was trying to catch his can of beer.

Wilden had made 104 although someone decided to dispute this sayiong it was only 102.

The most important thing was that it was a very enjoyable afternoon on the Sunday during the August Bank Holiday.

Hopefully, this cricket match will become an annual event.

RENHOLD BEDFORDSHIRE COUNTY LEAGUE FIRST DIVISION 2023-24 Appearances and Goalscorers

	League			Cup			Total		
	Starts	Sub	Goals	Starts	Sub	Goals	Starts	Sub	Goals
Neville Allen	1						1		
Jason Allison	1		2				1		2
Sean Byrne	1		1				1		1
Ashmeet Chana	1						1		
Shane Cox	1						1		
Sajan Khinda	1						1		
Cameron McDonald	1						1		
Delroy Phillips	1		1				1		1
Haydn R-Wilson	1						1		
Jesse Sidhu	1		1				1		1
Glenn Tumulty	1						1		
Sundeep Chana		1						1	
Josh Cowley		1						1	
Nathan France		1						1	
Keon S-Anderson		1						1	
Roshan Chaggar		1						1	

VISITING TOP END

HARLINGTON JUNIORS

Harlington Juniors were the 2022-23 Bedfordshire County League Division Two champions and were promoted to the First Division.

The Juniors won 22 of their 26 league games and drew 2 giving them 68 points, three more than the runners-up Bedford SA, who were also promoted.

One of their defeats was a 1-0 home setback against Sporting Carpathians while the clash against The 61FC Reserves was a void result.

They also lost in the Jubilee Cup semi-final when they went down 1-0 to Bedford SA.

Their best results in the league included a 13-1 away victory over Flitwick Town

Reserves while they also defeated AFC Bedford United by a 7-0 margin.

Harlington Juniors looked solid in their opening Division game last weekend when they drew 1-1 at Cranfield United Reserves where Jamie Small was on target. This result indicates the newcomers will hold their own in this division.



You can't beat a good feel-good story and Alex Fletcher's return to playing football certainly is one.

You may remember the 24-year-old was involved in a shocking incident last November while playing for the Romans against Dulwich Hamlet.

Fletcher collided with a perimeter wall during the game and had to be rushed to hospital where he spent five days in a coma.

Recovery has been long and arduous. He even had to learn how to walk again. But there were plenty of people in his corner with messages of support from across the game, including England manager Gareth Southgate and new Fulham signing Raul Jimenez, who himself suffered a serious head injury.

For us on the outside it's almost impossible to imagine what a tough period it has been for Fletcher.

We all read about the incident at the time, then heard of his recovery, but the hours away from the spotlight getting ready to come back with the support of his club must have gruelling. That's why it's so nice to see.

In last week's NLP, Fletcher told Bath City reporter — and NLP Step Two results guru — Mark Stillman about his road back to the pitch, one he was determined to make.

And he did just that a fortnight ago, coming on as an 85th-minute substitute for good

friend Cody Cooke. It was a poignant moment for Fletcher, his family and all at the National League South club.

"It was a bit emotional getting back out there," said Fletcher. "I can't really describe the words to say how it felt. It was goosebumps.

"I've played the situation so many times over in my head, just being here again. For it to finally happen felt surreal.

"The reception I got from everyone in the ground, including the Hampton players, meant so much to me.

"I've got over that hurdle. It's a massive milestone reached for me and now it's about building my minutes up but not rushing it, it's important for my body that I don't do that."

Jerry Gill's side have started the season well as they look for a return to Non-League's top flight.

Fletcher, who now wears a protective headband, added: "Hopefully I can start putting myself in contention for what's been a great start to the season though it might be tough as we've got such good attacking players, which can only be good for the team."

Good for Bath but also good for Alex. It's great to see him back doing what he loves.

Matt Badcock



THE TEAMS

Saturday 9th September



RENHOLD

Green

CAMERON McDONALD (GK)

SEAN BYRNE

DELROY PHILLIPS

HAYDN ROTHCHILD-WILSON

ASHMEET CHANA

SAJAN KHINDA

SHANE COX

GLENN TUMULTY

JASON ALLISON

NEVILLE ALLEN

JESSE SIDHU

SUNDEEP CHANA

JOSH COWLEY

NATHAN FRANCE

KEON SOARES-ANDERSON

ROSHAN CHAGGAR

Chairperson

Lyn Dimmock

Referee: Luke Damon

HARLINGTON JUNIORS



Red

BEN CHAPMAN
MATTHEW COFFEY
LOUIS DORSETT
SONNY FOULKES

LUKE JEFFREY

JACK O'SHEA

JAMIE SMALL LEWIS STEARNE PEARCE TOMLINSON BEN WHALLEY

LUKE WILLIAMS

ALEX FRANTELLIZZI
CALLUM McKAY
LUKE RENSHAW
ANTON TESTA
BENJAMIN THORNTON

SecretarySimon Whalley

NEXT AT TOP END

RENHOLD

v Lewsey Park

Saturday 23rd September

HALF-TIME CUPPA

IN THE CLUB HOUSE