



Bedfordshire County **Football League**

Season 2025-26

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Noticeboard

The Bedfordshire County Football League is pleased to announce that an agreement has been reached with HBC Logistics for them to continue as the league's mainline sponsor for season 2025-26.

Chairman, Peter Francis said, we are delighted that HBC Logistics will once again be abroad for the 2025-26 season and look forward to the positive impact this partnership will have on our clubs.

The revenue raised from this sponsorship will be distributed back to our clubs in various forms of rewards at the league's 2026 Annual General Meeting.

Registration Forms (covered under league rule18)

All registrations are now conducted in each club's club portal and their individual club's Team Administrators and likewise all transfers. (clubs.the fa.com)

Clubs are advised when making new registrations they search for the player by name and date of birth only.

The golden rule of making registrations is that if you know this player has played any previous competition football then he will already have a fan. If you cannot find him , then don't open a new fan, seek help to avoid the risk of making a duplicate registration and running the risk of a possible breach of league rules.

With regard to transfers please note the league will not approve any transfers under the waived banner until the leaving club has notified the league they are happy for the transfer to go ahead.

All clubs are advised/requested to check and ensure all registrations made have transferred correctly across from your clubs portal into Full Time.

Full Time Available Players List

Clubs are reminded of the note that appears on your match day available players list which reads. " Players above are registered with the competition on the above date

of this game. These may include players who are cup tied, or otherwise not eligible to play because they are under suspension- clubs should check with their County FA or on the Club Portal system for details of current suspensions.”

It is the clubs 100% total responsibility to ensure they do not play players who are serving a FA suspension and the league's recommendation they visit the Club Portal system prior to each game to check for any suspensions in place at any given date. Clubs should be aware that all suspensions commence seven days following the date the red card offence was committed.

Teamsheet Notes (covered under league rule 21A)

Please note the names of your players must show both forenames and family names and the number of the shirt each player is going to wear in the game. **All clubs should ensure the player's name listed corresponds 100% with that by which he is registered.**

Far too many clubs in the past couple of seasons failed to display the correct number shirt against their players, please ensure this does not happen again in season 2025-26.

This season, all match officials are being instructed to refuse any sheet not completed in this manner.

Please note the exchange of team sheets should take place at least 15 minutes prior to kick off in presence of the Match Day Referee.

In past seasons several referee's are reporting that your exchanged team sheets are not being completed in Block Letters and not including details of your club officials in the technical area. Your failure to do so could well cause a delay to the start of the game and your club being reported for a late kick off.

Result Sheets (covered under league rule 21C)

Please note the deadline for your entry onto the Full Time Website is within 3 days of the match.

Thus the deadline is Tuesday Midnight following any given Saturday game.

For Monday games it would be the Thursday Midnight following and for Wednesday games it's the Saturday Midnight following.

Please ensure you spend a minute or so checking your entry as in each of every weekend last season at least one club and often up to six clubs had omitted to submit a referee mark or list their goalscorers/ red cards .

Please ensure all team sheets are retained for possible inspection during the course of the season.

Match Day Reporting of Result (covered under league rule 21B)

In the passing of a rule change at the 2024 AGM **home clubs only** are now required to submit the result of each competition match within 75 minutes of the end of the match in response to an SMS text prompt. Failure to comply will incur a fine in accordance with the fines tariff.

To clarify matters the following deadlines will be applied.

2.00pm Kick Off. 5.15pm deadline.

2.30pm Kick Off. 5.45pm deadline.

6.15pm Kick Off. 9.30pm deadline

7.30pm Kick off. 10.45pm deadline.

This being based on 90 minutes play, 15 minutes half-time, plus another 90 minutes, being the 75 minutes from the end of the game and an additional 15 minutes to allow for late kick offs and time added on etc.

Please note an addition 15 minutes will be added to these deadlines for cup games that go to a penalty shoot-out.

Match Day information required for Press Reports etc.

It is still the league's intention to produce a Weekly News Bulletin and to this effect would ask /request all teams text their goal scorers and other facts of interest to Peter Francis on 0779680269 either on match day or previous to loading your Full Time Result sheet in the hope publication can be made sooner rather than later in the week that follows.

Postponed Games under League Rules 20E (III) and 23D

All Home clubs are reminded of the requirements under league rule 20E (iii) and 23D that in the event of any fixture being postponed, due to their ground being unfit or not available should their opponents or a neutral ground be available then it is mandatory to switch the venue of the game in question.

Here to Help

Should any clubs have problems with any of the above then please seek help, either on email at Peter.Francis30@ntlworld.com or by text/ telephone on 07779680269.

Notice of Christmas / New Year Fixtures 2025-26 Season

A normal schedule of fixtures will be arranged for Saturday 20th December 2025 and Saturday 3rd January 2026. Any club/ team wishing to request a free weekend on these dates (only one per team allowed each season) should note the deadline for these requests to be submitted as per league rule 20B is the 23rd November 2025 for the 20th December 2025 fixture and the 7th December 2025 for the 3th January 2026 fixture.

Please note there will be no fixtures scheduled for Saturday 27th December 2025.

Saturday 22nd November 2025

Premier Division supported by Sportsform

There is no change at the head of the Premier Division supported by Sportsform league table following home wins for the top two clubs, league leaders Cranfield United Reserves maintaining their seasons unbeaten ways and taking their winning run up to seven games in beating third place Marston Shelton Rovers 3-0 thanks to a brace from Flvin Baker-Bond and a goal from Jordan Conway. Whilst second place Caldecote are now on a five game winning streak and still unbeaten at home this season having secured a 3-2 victory over Queens Park Crescents with Rafe Goodman on the mark twice and Jordan Goodman once against Crescent replies from Faizan Fariad and Ekene Amadi.

The biggest win of the day belonged to fourth place AFC Oakley when they retained their season's unbeaten home way with a 9-3 victory over Totternhoe Reserves who have now lost their last four away outings. Chisom Amadi led the way with a hat-trick, Sonny Newton-Coates hit a brace alongside single goals from Fabiano Cammarano, Teddy Daniels, Samuel Partridge and Joseph McDonagh with Chris Gibson, Riley Keeble and Mukudleyi Makaza replying for the visitors. This victory took the defending champions above Wootton Blue Cross in the standings after their Weston Park pitch failed a midday pitch inspection for their scheduled game against Stopsley United.

Premier Division supported by Sportsform League Table at 22nd November 25

Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Cranfield United Reserves	12	10	2	0	41	6	35	32
2	Caldecote First	10	8	1	1	40	11	29	25
3	Marston Shelton Rovers First	11	7	1	3	25	18	7	22
4	AFC Oakley First	10	6	3	1	43	20	23	21
5	Wootton Blue Cross First	10	6	2	2	30	20	10	20
6	Harlington Juniors First	11	6	2	3	23	24	-1	20
7	Stopsley United First	11	6	1	4	26	16	10	19
8	Biggleswade FC Reserves	11	2	4	5	25	32	-7	10
9	Elstow Abbey First	9	3	1	5	17	26	-9	10
10	Queens Park Crescents First	8	2	3	3	15	15	0	9
11	Riseley Sports First	10	3	1	6	21	33	-12	9*
12	Totternhoe Reserves	10	2	2	6	12	36	-24	8
13	Biggleswade United Reserves	10	1	1	8	21	32	-11	4
14	Shefford Town & Campton Reserves	10	1	1	8	11	30	-19	4
15	Flitwick Town First	11	1	1	9	11	42	-31	4

Enjoying their first home win of the season were Biggleswade FC Reserves with a 5-1 success over second from bottom of the table Shefford Town & Campton Reserves, Jaden Kai Brown with a hat-trick plus an own goal and a strike from Benjamin Bedingfield bringing up the nap hand with the lone Town coming from Zach Thompson. Whilst across Town it was defeat number four on the bounce for Biggleswade United Reserves in going down 2-3 to a Riseley Sports side winning for the first time in seven outings. Reece Chitty, Jordan Harris and Jay Willett marking the Sports scoresheet against home replies via Alex Marshall and Robbie Hunt.

There was also joy on the road for Harlington Juniors who following two straight away defeats returned to form with a 3-2 victory at Elstow Abbey with goals from George Pedder and Ben Whalley plus a Luke Jeffery penalty against home replies via Lewis Parkin and Glen Tumulty.

Division One

In retaining their season's unbeaten ways and chalking up home win number six on the bounce Baldock Victoria with a 3-2 victory over Kempston United now head the league table by some three points. Jack Bendon, Luke Hennessey and Antony James all on their scoresheet. against United replies from Junior Samuel and Santino Diniro. Whilst second place Thurleigh lost their season's 100% home record when held to a 1-1 draw by FC Haynes. Edward Hatfield-Shaw with the home goal against a FC reply from Louie Dillon.

Just the goal difference behind Thurleigh in third spot and just goal difference ahead of fourth place FC Haynes are LU Donz who were the 6-5 winners at Bedford Albion. David Byass on the mark four times and Cameron Saunders twice with the home replies coming from Callum Riches with a brace plus single strikes from Nathan France, Angelo Moscaritolo and Dominic Parrella. Now sitting in fifth place are Clifton who took their unbeaten ways up to seven games with a 3-0 home victory over the second from bottom of the table AFC Oakley Development. Nikolay Rusev with a brace and a goal from Jim Taylor doing the damage.

Climbing out of the relegation zone are Wootton Blue Cross Reserves who following four straight defeats won 2-0 at Caldecote Reserves thanks to goals from George Armstrong and Alfie Young. Whilst Blunham took their unbeaten home ways to three games in beating Lea Sports PSG 3-1. with goals from Connor Heaps, Rickly Lawrence and Jack Westhead against a lone PSG reply from Joe Campion.

Division One League Table at 22nd November 2025

Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Baldock Victoria	9	7	2	0	35	21	14	23
2	Thurleigh FC	10	6	2	2	37	15	22	20
3	LU Donz First	10	6	2	2	44	26	18	20
4	FC Haynes First	11	6	2	3	30	17	13	20
5	Clifton First	9	5	2	2	24	17	7	17
6	Bedford Albion First	10	4	3	3	32	22	10	15
7	Blunham Saturday	8	4	1	3	17	17	0	13
8	Kempston United First	9	3	1	5	23	26	-3	10
9	Lea Sports PSG Saturday First	7	3	0	4	16	20	-4	9
10	Caldecote Reserves	10	3	1	6	17	29	-12	9*
11	Wootton Blue Cross Reserves	11	2	0	9	13	41	-28	6
12	AFC Oakley Development	8	1	2	5	9	22	-13	5
13	Bletchley Scot First	8	1	0	7	8	32	-24	3

Division Two

There is no change at the head of the Division Two standings, league leaders AFC Kempston Town Hammers making it five home wins on the bounce when goals from Gio Moscarocole and Jerome Lowe took them to a 2-0 success over third place Green End Rovers. Whilst second place AFC Bedford United who have played two games fewer trail them by just a single point after retaining their season's unbeaten ways with a 6-2 home victory over Wixams Wanderers. Cameron Cain, Lamar Smithson and Gary Townsend all grabbing braces against Wanderers replies via Thomas Hector and Harrison White.

The biggest away win of the day went to Westoning Reds with a 5-2 success at a Kempston Athletic side who have now lost their last six outings. Patrick Daly and Richard Latouche with braces plus a goal from Miles Laflin bringing up the Reds nap hand and Gianluca Testa on the mark with both of the Athletic replies. But there was no such success for fourth place Caddington Reserves who now only lead Bedford SA on goal difference after the SA ran out 2-1 home victors over them thanks to goals from Tynrse Gray and Jonah Codrington, the visitors reply coming from Faral Taingwa..

Elsewhere, Queens Park Crescents Reserves were the 3-1 home winners over the now bottom of the table Stotfold Juniors., where Anas Bechkoum, Hasnain Hussain and Zain Riasat all found the back of the net against a lone reply from Joshua

Evans. Whilst St Joseph's ((Saturday) with goals from Reece Doyle, Harry Birmingham and Francis Harkin were held to a 3-3 draw by Flitwick Town Reserves whose replies came from Florin Filimon twice and Isa Hussain once.

Division Two League Table at 22nd November 2025

Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	AFC Kempston Town Hammers First	11	7	3	1	29	10	19	24
2	AFC Bedford United (Sat) First	9	7	2	0	35	15	20	23
3	Green End Rovers First	9	6	1	2	25	16	9	19
4	Caddington Reserves	10	5	1	4	18	21	-3	16
5	Bedford SA First	11	5	1	5	25	30	-5	16
6	Queens Park Crescents Reserves	10	5	2	3	15	16	-1	14 *
7	St Josephs (Sat)	10	4	1	5	22	23	-1	13
8	Kempston Athletic First	10	4	0	6	16	20	-4	12
9	Wixams Wanderers First	11	3	2	6	25	26	-1	11
10	Flitwick Town Reserves	11	3	2	6	26	36	-10	11
11	Westoning Club Reds	10	2	2	6	23	34	-11	7 *
12	Stotfold Junior First (Sat)	10	1	1	8	11	23	-12	4

Division Three

With the withdrawal of FC Polonia(Luton) 24 hours earlier due to lack of player commitment thus ending a eight seasons stay with the league and their seasons record now having been expunged Ampthill Town Colts find they are now only just a single point point clear at the head of the Division Three standings after chalking up win number four on the bounce with a 4-1 home victory over Turvey where George Shaw hit a brace to go alongside single strikes from Oliver Blunt and Sam Kilby. against a lone reply from Samuel Jessop. Yet they will be very much aware that second place Dunstable Wanderers have played three games fewer and are still 100% for the season following a 5-1 away victory at The 61FC Luton Reserves. Shaxan Arif, Charlie Broux, Ben Chapman, Keiran Robinson and Harry Saint all found the back of the net to bring up the nap hand with the 61 reply coming from Jake Bird.

For third place Bedford Albion Development it was a 3-1 away success at Lu Donz Development thanks to a hat-trick from Kyle Mackinnon against a lone Donz reply from Nabil Khazzar. Whilst fourth place Athletic FC gained the biggest win of the day 9-2 at home over Caldecote A.Their fourth home win on the bounce. Gershom Makombe and Aaron Romain led the way with hat-tricks to go alongside single goals

from Daniel Tawede, Emmanuel Adjei and Mesumbe Kezhzong with the visitors replies coming from Reed Godden and Isaac Warwick.

Having lost their last three home games the now fifth place Wilstead returned to form on home soil when goals from Colin Marshall and Joseph Sullivan took them to a 2-1 victory over M&DH Clapham Sports Reserves for whom Flynn Badley replied. Whilst Everton Athletic following two straight defeats won 5-2 at Flitwick Town A. Craig Bowler and Lewis Lockey hitting braces alongside a single strike from James Scott to bring up the nap hand with the Town replies coming from Chris Lawson and Thomas Giggie.

Division Three League Table at 22nd November 2025

Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Ampthill Town Colts	10	7	1	2	31	12	19	22
2	Dunstable Wanderers First	7	7	0	0	27	10	17	21
3	Bedford Albion Development	9	6	1	2	24	13	11	19
4	Everton Athletic FC First	9	4	1	4	22	20	2	13
5	Atletic FC First	9	5	0	4	28	23	5	12*
6	Wilstead First	9	4	0	5	24	26	-2	12
7	M&DH Clapham Sports First	9	3	3	3	18	22	-4	12
8	Stopsley United Reserves	7	3	1	3	26	25	1	10
9	The 61 FC (Luton) Reserves	7	3	1	3	14	13	1	10
10	Turvey First	8	3	0	5	10	19	-9	9
11	LU Donz Development	9	2	2	5	19	18	1	7*
12	Flitwick Town 'A'	9	2	0	7	13	30	-17	6
13	Caldecote A	8	1	0	7	12	37	-25	3
14	FC Polonia (Luton) First	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Division Four

Cranfield United Development remain a point clear at the head of the Division Four league table following their 3-0 home victory over Meltis Rangers with goals from Alessio Cerrone, Romeo Cerrone and Sonny Chambers. With second place now being taken up by DTCC FC who made it nine wins on the bounce with a 9-1 away success at Queens Park Crescents Development. Etan Kennedy and Luke Janes with braces joined on their scoresheet by an own goal and strikes from Louie Blake, Reese Bogan, Jack Johnstone and Chris Sorrentino with the Crescents lone reply coming via an own goal.

This victory took DTCC FC above Luton Phoenix who were held to a 2-2 draw at AFC Clophill who with goals from Jonathan Smith and Matthew Doyle were gaining their first home point of the season with the Phoenix replies coming from Abdur Raheem-Feroz and Mohsin Mahmood. Whilst fourth place Westoning Blues lost their seasons 100% away record when beaten 2-1 at sixth place Flitwick Eagles Development for whom goals from Jack Burrell and Harry Power took their unbeaten ways up to six games against a lone Blues reply from Rew Jennings.

Division Four League Table at 22nd November 2025

Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Cranfield United Development	11	9	1	1	57	11	46	28
2	Dunstable Town Cricket Club DTCC FC Satu	10	9	0	1	37	11	26	27
3	Luton Phoenix FC	11	8	1	2	39	14	25	25
4	Westoning Club Blues	9	7	0	2	31	12	19	21
5	AFC Kempston Town Hammers Reserves	11	6	2	3	32	21	11	20
6	Flitwick Eagles Development	11	6	1	4	33	22	11	19
7	Catsbrook Wanderers First	9	4	2	3	16	18	-2	14
8	Everton Athletic FC Res	10	4	1	5	16	27	-11	13
9	Queens Park Crescents Development	10	3	3	4	14	31	-17	12
10	Leighton Woodside Athletic	10	3	1	6	21	31	-10	10
11	Meltis Rangers First	10	2	2	6	12	18	-6	5*
12	AFC Clophill First	10	1	1	8	8	36	-28	4
13	M&DH Clapham Sports Reserves	10	0	1	9	11	51	-40	0*
14	Wootton Blue Cross A	8	0	0	8	7	31	-24	-1*

For fifth place AFC Kempston Town Hammers Reserves it now five games unbeaten after winning 7-2 at second from the bottom of the table M&DH Clapham Sports Reserves who are still in search of their opening win of the season. Kian Morey with a hat-trick and single goals from Gavin Cheema, Bradley Lawrence, Dylan Steffens and Christianos Kyriacou marking the Hammers scoresheet against home replies from David Lavender and Dylan Weeks. A remark that also applies to the bottom of the table Wootton Blue Cross A who were beaten 3-0 at Everton Athletic Reserves for whom Michael John Freeman, Owen Manning and Lewis McCarthy all found the back of the net.

Elsewhere, with goals from Nathan Clovis and Joe Olesin Catsbrook Wanderers were 2-0 home winners over Leighton Woodside. Athletic.