

Bedfordshire County **Football League**



Season 2022-23

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Noticeboard

Registration Forms (covered under league rule 8)

All registrations are now conducted in Whole Game via each individual clubs Team Administrators and likewise all transfers.

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 in his life then he will already have a fan. If you cannot find him, 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 Whole Game into Full Time.

Clubs are not allowed to cancel players' registrations once the season has commenced; they can only leave via a transfer.

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 Whole Game 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 is they visit the Whole

Game system prior to each game to check for any suspensions in place at any given date.

Teamsheet Notes -

. 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.

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 2022-23.

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.

Result Sheets

Please note the deadline for your entry onto the Full Time Website is within 3 days of the match. **Please note loading of these result sheets must be made via Full Time. The FA App does not link into the results system and should not be used.**

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.

Please note all result sheets are to be retained for possible inspection during the course of the season.

Match Day Reporting of Result (covered under league rule 11B)

The deadline for this to happen is within one hour of the match finishing. To clarify the actual time the league regards this to be three hours from the scheduled kick off time.

If 2pm Kick Off then it's 5pm. If 2.30 pm Kick off then it's 5.30pm. An additional 15 minutes will be allowed when involved in County Cup/ League Cup Ties that go to a penalty shoot-out.

Please remember if you are the away side in any County Cup Tie against opponents from outside our league then your club becomes responsible for reporting the result as above. Otherwise it's just the home side.

The preferred method is by text to 07779680269 – otherwise a phone call to the same number is quite acceptable – **please refrain from leaving messages on the answer phone**, if the line is busy then please wait a few moments and redial or send a text.

Match Day information required for Press Reports etc.

When reporting the above result please provide the name of your goalscorers and any additional information such as sequence of the scoreline, time of goals, red cards, penalty misses/saves or anything unusual of note.

It would also very much assist if when you are the away team that the same information is supplied.

Tuesday 1st November 2022

Bedfordshire FA Senior Trophy action tonight saw current Premier Division supported by Sportsform league leaders Cranfield United bow out of the competition when beaten 3-1 at Biggleswade United Reserves. United took the lead in the 24th minute with a Robbie Hunt goal from all of 35 yards out and then went on to double their lead just three minutes from the break with a fine individual run and finish by Fraelias Mienambolo. Before it was game over on 86 minutes with a third goal from Callum Elliott. The visitors pulled a goal back all in vain just 60 seconds later via Jordan Spruce. Biggleswade United earning themselves a home second round tie against Elstow Abbey.

Elsewhere, goals from George Onwusonye and Charlie O'Mahony took Crawley Green Reserves to a 2-0 victory at Langford. They will also be on the road in round two with a visit to Sharnbrook. Whilst Marston Shelton Rovers made their trophy exit when beaten 11-0 at Leighton Town Reserves who will now visit Caldecote in round two.

Second Round Draw

Shefford Town & Campton Reserves v AFC Oakley

Potton United Development v Queens Park Crescents

Sharnbrook v Crawley Green Reserves

Biggleswade United Reserves v Elstow Abbey

Caldecote v Leighton Town Reserves

Totternhoe v The 61 FC (ILuton) or Ampthill Town

Biggleswade FC Reserves v AFC Caddington S&S

Flitwick Town v Real Bedford

Games to be played on Saturday 3rd December 2022 at venues without floodlights. Kick off 2pm which will be amended to 12 noon if England are in a World Cup knockout match on this date. Floodlights games to be played on Tuesday 6th December 2022 kick off 7.45pm

Saturday 5th November 2022

Premier Division supported by Sportsform

There is no change at the head of the Premier Division supported by Sportsform standings following wins for the top two clubs. Cranfield United still leading the way by some two points from Elstow Abbey after they retained their season's 100% away record and chalked up win number seven on bounce when Lule Little netted in time added on to see them to a 1-0 victory over Biggleswade FC Reserves. Whilst the Abbey maintained their season's unbeaten ways with a 4-1 home success over Biggleswade United Reserves. Scott Alleyne with a brace plus single goals from Steve Gentle and Craig Damon doing the damage against a lone United reply via Robbie Hunt.

Premier Division supported by Sportsform League Table at 5th November 2022

Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Cranfield United First	10	8	1	1	30	9	21	25
2	Elstow Abbey First	9	7	2	0	23	8	15	23
3	Sharnbrook First	9	5	3	1	29	10	19	18
4	Biggleswade FC Reserves	10	6	0	4	23	14	9	18
5	Crawley Green Reserves	7	5	1	1	17	5	12	16
6	Shefford Town & Campton Reserves	10	5	1	4	27	18	9	16
7	Caldecote First	10	5	1	4	23	21	2	16
8	Flitwick Town First	9	4	2	3	18	20	-2	14
9	AFC Oakley First	9	3	3	3	14	17	-3	12
10	Stotfold Development	8	3	1	4	23	17	6	10
11	Queens Park Crescents First	8	2	2	4	13	22	-9	8
12	Riseley Sports First	7	1	3	3	15	16	-1	6
13	AFC Kempston Town Hammers First	9	2	0	7	15	38	-23	6
14	Marston Shelton Rovers First	10	1	2	7	14	28	-14	5
15	Biggleswade United Reserves	9	1	2	6	12	30	-18	5
16	Barton Rovers Reserves	8	1	0	7	8	31	-23	3

Now up into third place are Sharnbrook following their 8-1 home victory over Queens Park Crescents. They were ahead in the 8th minute via James Barron before Danial Rasol drew the Crescents level in the 20th minute. However, the fireworks were saved for the second half, Barron adding his second of the day after just five minutes before failing to claim his hat-trick just two minutes when having his penalty saved by Crescents goalkeeper Jordan Mclellan who then needed to face another penalty in the 54th minute but this time Sam Smith did a much better job shooting the home side 3-1 ahead. It then became the Sam Smith show as within the

next 14 minutes he had taken his personal tally to four to race the home side 6-1 ahead. Number seven arrived via Josh Griggs five minutes from time before Barron did indeed complete his hat-trick in time added on to bring up the final 8-1 scoreline.

Just a goal behind Sharnbrook were Riseley Sports who collected their first win of the season 7-1 at AFC Kempston Town Hammers. Jay Willett netting twice alongside single goals from Sonny Newton-Cootes, Mitch Crook, Elliot Bunday, Lewis Donald and James Cooke against a lone Town reply from Jake Duxberry. Whilst Shefford Town & Campton Reserves returned to winning ways on home soil for the first time in four outings in beating bottom of the table Barton Rovers Reserves 6-0 with hat-tricks coming the way of both Samuel Rogers and Liam Wood.

There was joy on the road for AFC Oakley who with goals from Joe McDonagh and Stu Gillies from the penalty spot won 2-1 at Marston Shelton Rovers who are still awaiting their first home win of the season. Matthew Eddy netting their goal. Whilst Flitwick Town returned to winning ways with a 2-1 home victory over Caldecote. Tom Barnett and Phil Matthews on their scoresheet against a lone reply from Liam Beech for the visitors.

Division One

Lea Sports PSG's lead at the head of the Division One league table remains at three points after they shared the spoils in a 1-1 draw at Clifton to retain their season's unbeaten ways. Taylor Davis marking their scoresheet against a home reply from Elliot Powell. Whilst second place Henlow lost their season's 100% home record when held to a 1-1 draw by Wootton Blue Cross who were duly losing their own 100% season's away record. Brandon Care on the home scoresheet and Jack White replying for the Blue Cross.

The biggest win of the day saw Cranfield United Reserves win 11-1 at bottom of the table St Joseph's (Saturday) Jordan Conway leading the way with four goals, Jack Sharman Dodd with a brace alongside single strikes from Alex Maxwell, James Manning, Samuel Manning, Kristian Esposito and Conor Kavanagh against a lone home reply via Kieran Robinson. Whilst the comeback of the day belonged to Lewsey Park who were 3-0 down at half-time at Bedford Town U23's before earning a share of the points from a 3-3 draw. Sam Moore with a double and Kyle Joswiak netting for the home side in the opening half before a brace of goals from the penalty spot by Chris Gibson and a strike from Daniel Blackman saved the day for the Park in the second period.

Following two straight home defeats Buffs FC returned to winning ways on home soil with a 6-1 victory over Kempston Rovers Academy. Luke Hennesey with a brace and single goals from Kevin Jump, Ryan Large, Robert Nixon and Johnny Polesuk doing the damage against a lone reply from Mykoln Felenlo. There was also a home victory for Renhold 4-3 over AFC Oakley Reserves. Ollie Housden, Ben Brown, Dan Thomas and a Roshan Chagger penalty outweighing Oakley replies from Michael Frezza, Jacob Lawrence and Josh Moran.

Elsewhere, Bedford Albion are still in search of their first home victory of the season after being held to a 1-1 draw by Milton Keynes Dons Set U19's. Jamie Hall netting for the Albion and Fikile Mqobongo for the Dons.

Division One League Table at 5th November 2022

Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Lea Sports PSG Saturday First	8	6	2	0	26	9	17	20
2	Henlow First	8	5	2	1	15	9	6	17
3	Totternhoe Reserves	6	5	0	1	17	6	11	15
4	Renhold First	8	5	0	3	17	16	1	15
5	Cranfield United Reserves	8	4	1	3	30	16	14	13
6	Wootton Blue Cross First	8	4	1	3	23	17	6	13
7	Clifton First	7	4	1	2	15	10	5	13
8	Bufs FC Saturday First	8	4	0	4	20	14	6	11 *
9	Milton Keynes Dons SET U19 SET Developme	8	3	2	3	28	25	3	11
10	AFC Oakley Reserves	7	2	2	3	15	18	-3	8
11	Bedford Albion First	8	2	2	4	16	23	-7	8
12	Lewsey Park First	7	1	2	4	11	18	-7	5
13	Bedford Town FC (Youth Development) U23	7	1	2	4	14	21	-7	4 *
14	Kempston Rovers Academy U23	7	1	1	5	16	27	-11	4
15	St Josephs (Saturday) First	7	0	0	7	8	42	-34	0

Division Two supported by Hy-Pro

With league leaders Harlington Juniors having their game at Wootton Blue Cross waterlogged off their lead at the top of the standing is now down to just goal difference after Westoning Recreation retained their season's unbeaten ways in winning 3-2 at Brache Phoenix to chalk up their sixth win on the bounce. George Nicholls netting twice and Harry Milton once against home replies from Alex Barbour and Alendro Reyes.

Meantime, Sporting Carpathians missed the chance to climb up the table into third spot when beaten 3-0 at Bedford SA. who were gaining their first home win of the season with goals from Ollie Hughes, Colby Smith and Aaron Baxter-Chaplin. Also netting their first home win of the season were Wilstead in beating Caldecote Reserves 3-1. Joe Sullivan netting twice and Sam Evans once against a lone reply from Tom Wallace.

Elsewhere, FC Haynes won for the first time in six outings 3-2 at home over Shefford Town & Campton Development. Tyler Winter with a brace and a single goal from Dean Hill doing the damage against Town replies via Lewis Tillett and Lee Britton. Whilst a goal in the 20th minute from Antony Farr was enough to take AFC Bedford United to a 1-0 home success over bottom of the table AFC Kempston Town Hammers Reserves.

Division Two supported by Hy-Pro League Table at 5th November 2022

Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Harlington Juniors First	7	6	1	0	26	8	18	19
2	Westoning Recreation first	7	6	1	0	30	13	17	19
3	Wootton Blue Cross Reserves	6	5	0	1	23	4	19	14*
4	Sporting Carpathians First	7	4	1	2	22	15	7	13
5	Bedford SA First	7	4	1	2	19	13	6	13
6	AFC Bedford United (Sat) First	7	4	0	3	11	16	-5	12
7	Shefford Town & Campton Development	8	3	1	4	15	16	-1	10
8	Stopsley United First	6	3	0	3	21	16	5	9
9	Flitwick Town Reserves	6	2	2	2	8	11	-3	8
10	FC Haynes First	7	2	1	4	15	19	-4	7
11	Wilstead First	7	2	1	4	9	17	-8	7
12	Caldecote Reserves	7	1	2	4	14	21	-7	5
13	Brache Phoenix First	7	1	2	4	10	21	-11	5
14	The 61 FC (Luton) Reserves	6	1	0	5	5	17	-12	3
15	AFC Kempston Town Hammers Reserves	7	0	1	6	7	28	-21	1

Division Three supported by Hy-Pro

With Lea Sports PSG Reserves sitting the afternoon out their place at the top of the Division Three supported by Hy-Pro standings now belongs to Stotfold Junior who retained their season's unbeaten home ways in beating Elstow Abbey Reserves 6-1. Ross Irving and Ciaran Mahoney both netting braces alongside single goals from Joseph Cleverly and Lewis Baverstock against a lone Abbey reply from Steve Campion.

Also netting six at home to move up the standings into third place were Ickwell & Old Warden with a 6-0 win over M&DH Clapham Sports. Zak Robinson with a brace plus goals from Andrew Vallom, Lee Threadgold, Conor Green and Luke Gurney doing the damage. Whilst just a point behind them in fourth spot are the still unbeaten this season Sandy who won 3-1 at Sporting Carpathians Reserves. Tony Norman, Jack Fox and Kyle Johannesen on their scoresheet against a lone home reply from Madalin-Andre Corneau.

Also enjoying life on the road were fifth place Sharnbrook Reserves who chalked up their fourth straight win 4-0 at FC Polonia (Luton) with goals from Jason Hurley, Charlie Hurley, Nathan O'Halloran and Elliott Richardson. Whilst Newman United were gifted the three points when the bottom of the table Atletico Europa failed to raise a side to host them.

For FC Haynes Reserves it was their fourth away draw on the bounce when sharing the spoils in a 3-3 encounter at Kempston Rovers BCFL. Harvey Eagle twice and Francois Homian once on the Rovers scoresheet against replies for the visitors by Keiron Stock, Ben Worbey and Sten Wallis.

Division Three supported by Hy-Pro League Table at 5th November 2022

Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Stotfold Junior First (Sat)	7	5	1	1	22	9	13	16
2	Lea Sports PSG Saturday Reserves	8	4	2	2	18	15	3	14
3	Ickwell & Old Warden First	6	4	1	1	12	5	7	13
4	Sandy First	6	3	3	0	14	8	6	12
5	Sharnbrook Reserves	6	4	0	2	14	2	12	11 *
6	Kempston Rovers (BCFL) First	7	3	1	3	18	12	6	10
7	Caddington First	6	3	1	2	13	13	0	10
8	Newman United First	8	2	4	2	16	27	-11	10
9	FC Polonia (Luton) First	6	3	0	3	10	13	-3	9
10	FC Haynes Reserves	7	1	4	2	15	15	0	7
11	M&DH Clapham Sports First	6	2	1	3	10	15	-5	7
12	Sporting Carpathians Reserves	6	2	0	4	9	11	-2	6
13	Elstow Abbey Reserves	7	1	0	6	14	26	-12	3
14	Square First	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15	Wootton Blue Cross U23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	Atletico Europa First	8	1	0	7	8	22	-14	0 *

Division Four

There is no change at the head of the Division Four standings after league leaders Luton Panthers were gifted the three points after Bedford Wanderers failed to raise a side to journey along the A6 to meet them. thus allowing them to stay two points clear of Blunham who retained their season's 100% away record in winning 4-0 at Caldecote U23's with braces of goals from David Smith and Connor Heaps.

For third place Clifton Reserves it was a 3-3 draw at Harlington Juniors Reserves. Elliot McKay with a brace and Luke Rowe marking their scoresheet against home replies from Daniel Jump, David Stewart and Conor Gardiner. Just goal difference behind them in fourth spot are Leighton Woodside who remain unbeaten on the road this season after winning 5-1 at Sandy Reserves. Ethan West and Alex Pearse both netting twice and Rory Burke once to bring up the nap hand against a lone home reply from Richard Seldon.

In fifth place on the same number of points as Clifton Reserves and Leighton Woodside are Flitwick Town A who won 6-3 at Revivalists. Benn Ward leading the way with a brace alongside single strikes from Dave Lyons, Max Hughes, Ryan Jordan and Ewan Brown against home replies via Shanuola Adeyemi twice and Dylan Hassen once.

For M&DH Clapham Sports Reserves it was a 5-1 home victory over Meltis Rangers. thanks to goals from Somto Nnamdi, Ben Luke, Ben Chick, Eddy Adaba and Jason Bako against a lone Rangers reply from Mavindeer Chana. Whilst Catsbrook Wanderers picked up their first home point of the season in drawing 2-2

with Marston Shelton Rovers Reserves. with goals from Lewis Holmes and Dominik Wrucha against Rovers replies via Peter Kerr and Aaron Franks.

Elsewhere, Kempston Athletic were defeated 3-4 at home by CS Rovers. Ben Rodgers, Charlie Thomas, Carlos Mariano and Mark Moriarty on the Rovers scoresheet against home replies via Lance Jeffers, Lucas Cain and Matthew Barker.

Division Four League Table at 5th November 2022

Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Luton Panthers First	8	7	0	1	32	5	27	21
2	Blunham First	7	6	1	0	27	8	19	19
3	Clifton Reserves	7	5	1	1	36	5	31	16
4	Leighton Woodside Adult	7	5	1	1	19	10	9	16
5	Flitwick Town 'A'	7	5	1	1	20	13	7	16
6	Sandy Reserves	7	3	2	2	12	16	-4	11
7	Caldecote U23	7	3	1	3	18	17	1	10
8	Harlington Juniors Reserves	7	3	1	3	15	17	-2	10
9	M&DH Clapham Sports Reserves	7	3	0	4	19	23	-4	9
10	Kempston Athletic First	8	3	0	5	18	22	-4	9
11	Bedford Wanderers First	7	3	0	4	12	11	1	8 *
12	CS Rovers First	7	2	2	3	12	14	-2	7 *
13	Meltis Rangers (Sat) First	7	2	1	4	10	30	-20	7
14	Marston Shelton Rovers Reserves	8	1	1	6	8	25	-17	3 *
15	Catsbrook Wanderers First	7	0	2	5	10	28	-18	2
16	Kempston Athletic (old) First (Folded)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	Revivalists First	8	0	0	8	13	37	-24	0

The Next Seven Days

Saturday 12th November 2022

Premier Division supported by Sportsform

Caldecote v Sharnbrook

Cranfield United v Biggleswade United Reserves

Crawley Green Reserves v Biggleswade FC Reserves

Flitwick Town v Elstow Abbey

Marston Shelton Rovers v AFC Kempston Town Hammers

Queens Park Crescents v Shefford Town & Campton Reserves

Riseley Sports v AFC Oakley

Stotfold Development v Barton Rovers Reserves

Division One

AFC Oakley Reserves v Bedford Albion
Kempston Rovers Academy v Henlow
Lea Sports PSG v Totternhoe Reserves
Lewsey Park v Clifton
Milton Keynes Don Set U19 v Bedford Town U23
St Josephs (Saturday) v Renhold
Wootton Blue Cross v Cranfield United Reserves

Division Two supported by Hy-Pro

AFC Kempston Hammers Reserves v Bedford SA
Caldecote Reserves v Brache Phoenix
Harlington Juniors v Flitwick Town Reserves
Shefford Town & Campton Development v Wootton Blue Cross Reserves
St Josephs (Saturday) v Renhold
Wootton Blue Cross v Cranfield United Reserves

Division Three supported by Hy-Pro

Elstow Abbey Reserves v Caddington
FC Haynes Reserves v Lea Sports PSG Reserves
Ickwell & Old Warden v Atletico Europa
M&DH Clapham Sports v FC Polonia (Luton)
Sharnbrook Reserves v Sandy
Stotfold Juniors v Kempston Rovers BCFL

Division Four

Bedford Wanderers v Marston Shelton Rovers Reserves
Blunham v Flitwick Town A
Catsbrook Wanderers v CS Rovers
Clifton Reserves v M&DH Clapham Sports Reserves
Kempston Athletic v Caldecote U23
Leighton Woodside v Harlington Juniors Reserves
Meltis Rangers v Luton Panthers
Sandy Reserves v Revivalists

