

Bedfordshire County **Football League**



Season 2021-22

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Noticeboard 1

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.

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

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 2021-22.

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.

Thus the deadline is Tuesday Midnight following any given Saturday game. **(in the now digital world this has been brought forward 24 hours)**

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 its 5pm. If 2.30 pm Kick off then its 5.30pm. An additional 15 minutes will be allowed when involved in County Cup/ League Cup Tie 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.

Action Round Up Saturday 13th November 2021

Premier Division supported by Sportsform

League leaders Caldecote came within 15 seconds of losing their season's unbeaten home ways before Giuseppe Follano netted to earn them a share of the spoils from a 1-1 draw against Biggleswade FC Reserves . The visitors going ahead via Sammy Diaz Fisher some 20 minutes earlier and the home cause not helped by Jordan Gurney being red carded just 20 minutes into the contest. With AFC Oakley and Queens Park Crescents away on cup duty Elstow Abbey took full advantage to leap above them both into second place some four points adrift of the leaders with a 4-3 home victory over Sharnbrook. Craig Damon, Dan Mattin, Dom Parrella and Dom Palmieri all finding the back of the net against replies from Teddy Daniels twice and Bradley Raines once for the visitors.

This defeat dropping Sharnbrook to sixth place in the standings and overtaken into fifth place by Stevington who retained their seasons unbeaten away ways when winning 4-3 at Biggleswade United U23's. Jamie Daniels netting a hat-trick alongside a goal from Jim Burnside against a United hat-trick in reply via Fraelirs Mienanibolo . Whilst Crawley Green Reserves are now seventh and unbeaten in their last six outings after a lone goal from Timmy Akerele took them to a 1-0 victory at Shefford Town & Campton Reserves.

Premier Division supported by Sportsform League Table at 13th November 2021

1	Caldecote First	10	7	2	1	25	14	11	23
2	Elstow Abbey First	10	6	1	3	30	21	9	19
3	AFC Oakley First	7	5	2	0	33	10	23	17
4	Queens Park Crescents First	9	5	3	1	18	6	12	17 *
5	Stevington First	9	5	2	2	14	11	3	17
6	Sharnbrook First	9	4	3	2	28	17	11	15
7	Crawley Green Reserves	9	5	1	3	17	9	8	15 *
8	Biggleswade FC Reserves	8	4	2	2	15	10	5	14
9	Cranfield United First	10	3	4	3	26	15	11	13
10	Flitwick Town First	9	3	2	4	23	21	2	11
11	Marston Shelton Rovers First	7	3	0	4	13	24	-11	9
12	Shefford Town & Campton Reserves	7	2	0	5	6	12	-6	6
13	Riseley Sports First	8	2	0	6	11	23	-12	6
14	AFC Kempston Town & Bedford College Firs	9	2	0	7	11	26	-15	6
15	Bedford Albion First	7	1	0	6	8	27	-19	3
16	Biggleswade United U23	10	1	0	9	13	45	-32	3

* adjustment made

For Riseley Sports it was a collection of their first home points of the season when beating Bedford Albion 5-3. James Cooke and Sonny Newton-Cootes both netting twice and Lewis Donald once to bring up the nap hand against Albion replies via Cameron Brown, Louis Banton and Ben Collins. Yet AFC Kempston Town & Bedford College still await their first home points of the season after being defeated 3-1 by

Marston Shelton Rovers. Lewis Cerminara, Harry Murray and Ben Lawrence on the Rovers scoresheet against a lone Town reply from Elliot West.

Elsewhere at Crawley Road in an eventful contest hosts Cranfield United drew 3-3 with Flitwick Town. Ashley Farmer shooting United ahead before they were reduced to ten men when Colby Smith was red carded for a deliberate handball which saw the Town make it 1-1 from the penalty spot via Florin Filimon and then Town go ahead 1-2 with a goal from Peter Rogan. United via Justin Newman were to make it 2-2 only to see Cameron Lewis shoot the Town back in front for a second time during the afternoon until up popped Martin Holland to even matters up and both sides have to settle for a share of the spoils.

Bedfordshire FA Senior Trophy Second Round

Queens Park Crescents will now face a Quarter-Final home tie against Biggleswade FC Reserves after emerging the 4-2 penalty shoot-out winners at AFC Oakley after 90 minutes play had saw the sides deadlocked at 4-4. Josh Moran, Nathan Aulsberry, Stuart Gillies from the penalty spot and Elijah Hukin on the home scoresheet against Crescents replies from Ciaran McEvoy, Matthew Talwo, Daniel Rasol and Ashley Coleman. In the shootout, Talwo, Rasol plus Fabio Sattar and Mohammed Ahmed netted for the Crescents against home replies from Billy Cook and Nathan Larrier.

Division One

With the sad withdrawal of Ickwell & Old Warden during the week the Division One contest is now down to just 12 teams. Still leading the way at the head of the standings by four points are Stotfold Development whose game this weekend at Totternoe Reserves was postponed due to the hosts being under League suspension. Whilst with St Josephs (Saturday) also sitting the afternoon out they dropped to third in the standings to be overtaken by Potton United Reserves who returned to winning ways by winning 3-1 at Lea Sports PSG to end their hosts season's unbeaten ways. Josh Watson with a brace plus a goal from Serhan Dogruer doing the damage against a lone home reply via Ciaran Connelly.

Also enjoying life on the road to collect their first away points of the season were Wilstead in winning 4-2 at Flitwick Town Reserves who were suffering their ninth defeat on the bounce. Colin Marshall, Sam Evans, Stef Jones and Phil Jones netting for the visitors against Town replies via Jack Banfield and Jack Farthing. Whilst for Barton Rovers Reserves it was the gift of three points to keep them in fourth spot and with games in hand of the top three when Pitstone & Ivinghoe Reserves failed to raise a side to journey to Sharpenhoe Road to meet them.

Elsewhere, Sporting Lewsey Park and Henlow played out a 2-2 draw. Chris Gibson with a brace for the hosting Park and Luke Hills and Cameron Care replying for Henlow.

Division One League Table at 13th November 2021

1	Stotfold Development	8	7	1	0	47	7	40	22
2	Potton United Reserves	9	6	0	3	22	16	6	18
3	St Josephs (Saturday) First	8	5	1	2	36	19	17	16
4	Barton Rovers Reserves	6	5	0	1	23	11	12	15
5	Sporting Lewsey Park First	9	3	4	2	21	26	-5	13
6	Totternhoe Reserves	5	4	0	1	18	14	4	12
7	Cranfield United Reserves	7	3	1	3	12	15	-3	10
8	Lea Sports PSG Saturday First	7	2	2	3	17	21	-4	8
9	Wilstead First	8	2	1	5	15	30	-15	7
10	Henlow First	6	1	3	2	13	13	0	6
11	Kempston Athletic First [withdrawn]	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	Flitwick Town Reserves	9	0	0	9	9	28	-19	0
13	Pitstone & Ivinghoe United Reserves	8	0	1	7	11	44	-33	0 *
14	Ickwell & Old Warden First [withdrawn]	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-1 *

* adjustment made

Division Two supported by Hy-Pro

Wootton Blue Cross are now three points clear at the head of the Division Two supported by Hy-Pro standings after retaining their seasons's unbeaten away ways with a 4-0 victory at Brache Phoenix. Josh Bygraves with a hat-trick alongside a goal from Josh Burnapp doing the damage. Whilst in losing their seasons's 100% record by being held to a 2-2 draw at Bedford SA, Clifton now find themselves in fourth place. Tyrone Kelly and Ollie Hughes netting for the hosts and Josh Adams grabbing a brace for the visitors.

Now in second spot are AFC Bedford United who made it three wins on the bounce with a 3-1 home victory over Stopsley United. Gary Townsend with a brace plus Sam Nightingale on their scoresheet against a lone reply from Randy Asare. Whilst in third spot ahead of Clifton on goal difference only are FC Haynes who extended their unbeaten ways to five games with a 7-1 home victory over AFC Oakley Reserves. Chris Clarke leading the way with a hat-rick alongside single goals from George Grahame, Aaron Lumsden, Daniel Parker and Ben Lee Phillips against a lone reply from Harvey Holland for the visitors.

After failing to win their last four outings Harlington Juniors returned to form with a 6-2 away win at Soccerlise. Adam Walter with a brace plus goals from Sam Hicks, Alex Frantellizzi, Nathan Boyle and Ryan Dennison only being replied to twice by Voni Maswanganyi and Luke Freeman for the hosts. Whilst Renhold were the 5-0 home winners over The 61 FC Luton Reserves. Liam Newton netting twice, Michael France once from the penalty spot alongside goals for Neville Allen and Reece Baker.

Division Two supported by Hy-Pro League Table at 13th November 2021

1	Wootton Blue Cross First	10	7	2	1	30	12	18	23
2	AFC Bedford United (Sat) First	9	6	2	1	31	15	16	20
3	FC Haynes First	8	6	1	1	33	13	20	19
4	Clifton First	7	6	1	0	26	9	17	19
5	AFC Oakley Reserves	9	5	0	4	19	21	-2	15
6	Renhold First	7	4	1	2	20	8	12	13
7	Bedford SA First	9	3	3	3	24	23	1	12
8	Soccerlise First	10	4	0	6	25	28	-3	12
9	Stopsley United First	9	4	0	5	15	15	0	11 *
10	Harlington Juniors First	9	2	2	5	17	34	-17	8
11	Brache Phoenix First	10	1	3	6	10	24	-14	6
12	The 61 FC (Luton) Reserves	8	0	3	5	9	30	-21	3
13	AFC Kempston Town & Bedford College Rese	9	0	0	9	8	35	-27	0

* adjustment made

Division Three supported by Hy-Pro

With Wootton Blue Cross Reserves sitting the afternoon out Sharnbrook Reserves are now five points clear of them at the head of the Division Three supported by Hy-Pro standings following their 3-0 home victory over Sandy. Regan Scott, Dan Curran and Dani Picciano on their scoresheet. The Blue Cross however remain five points clear of now third spot Caldecote Reserves who thanks to an own goal and strikes from Callum Mason and Nick Thomas were 3-2 home winners over FC Polonia (Luton) for whom Marchin Bator and Grzegorz Rudnicki netted.

For Shefford Town & Campton U23's it was a return to winning ways with a 5-0 win over Marston Shelton Rovers Reserves. Geoffrey Pell Clarke with a brace plus goals from Rhys Smith, Dos Santos Jesus and Joseph Parry bringing up the nap hand.

Whilst Sporting Carpathians were forced to sit the afternoon out after their intended visitors Atletico Europa were earlier in the week placed under league suspension.

Elsewhere, FC Haynes Reserves returned to winning ways with a 4-2 victory at CS Rovers. Michael Bates with a brace plus an own goal and a strike from Jack Konopka only seeing the Rovers reply twice via Dave McLeod and Karl Dearden.

Division Three supported by Hy-Pro League Table at 13th November 2021

1	Sharnbrook Reserves	9	8	1	0	36	12	24	25
2	Wootton Blue Cross Reserves	8	6	2	0	44	17	27	20
3	Caldecote Reserves	9	5	0	4	23	27	-4	15
4	Sporting Carpathians First	7	4	1	2	36	18	18	13
5	Atletico Europa First	7	4	1	2	22	18	4	13
6	FC Haynes Reserves	8	4	0	4	18	28	-10	12
7	FC Polonia (Luton) First	9	3	1	5	23	20	3	10
8	Shefford Town & Campton U23	8	3	1	4	17	15	2	9 *
9	CS Rovers First	9	2	0	7	20	34	-14	6
10	Marston Shelton Rovers Reserves	8	1	2	5	13	44	-31	5
11	Sandy (Sat) First	8	0	1	7	11	30	-19	1

* adjustment made

Division Four

There is no change at the head of the Division Four standings after the top four sides all drew. Kempston Rovers staying three points clear in top spot following their 2-2 draw at Square FC. Matthew Barrett and Omojiseoluwa Bankole on the Rovers scoresheet against home replies from Connor Taylor and Harry Stapleton Chater. Whilst second place M&DH Clapham failed to chalk up their sixth win on the bounce when held to a 1-1 home draw by Shefford Town & Campton A. Fred Shannon on the home scoresheet and Sanna Makalo replying for the Town.

Just goal difference behind in third and fourth spots are Bedford Santos and Lea Sports PSG Reserves who played out a 2-2 draw. Santos losing their seasons 100% home record and PSG their four game winning run. Phillip Hammond and Francois Hammond on the home scoresheet against PSG replies via Warren Bell and Alex Bailey. Whilst Blunham were 4-0 home winners over Catsbrook Wanderers. Matthew McCartney with a brace plus an own goal and a strike from Alex Wallman doing the damage.

Division Four League Table at 13th November 2021

1	Kempston Rovers (BCFL) First	9	6	1	2	28	23	5	19
2	M&DH Clapham Sports (Sat) First	8	5	1	2	29	13	16	16
3	Bedford Santos First	8	5	2	1	23	13	10	16 *
4	Lea Sports PSG Saturday Reserves	8	5	1	2	26	21	5	16
5	Elstow Abbey Reserves	9	4	0	5	38	29	9	12
6	Square	8	3	3	2	25	18	7	12
7	Flitwick Town 'A'	7	4	0	3	22	24	-2	12
8	Shefford Town & Campton 'A'	9	3	1	5	29	30	-1	10
9	Blunham First	8	2	1	5	24	27	-3	7
10	Catsbrook Wanderers First	10	0	0	10	5	51	-46	-3 *

* adjustment made

Division Five

There is also no change at the head of the Division Five standings following wins for the top two sides. League leaders Wootton Blue Cross U23's the 4-0 home winners over Luton Panthers thanks to a brace of goals from Cam Barnes Potts and strikes from Zack Baker and Jack Spada to keep them goal difference ahead of Newham United who are now unbeaten in their last six outings after winning 1-0 at Woodside Adult who were losing their seasons unbeaten home ways. Igor Zieba the United goalscorer.

Now in third spot climbing above Luton Panthers are Sporting Carpathians Reserves who ran out 5-2 winners at Harlington Juniors Reserves who are still in search of their first home win of the season. Tau Roberts with a brace plus goals from Andrew Hymus, Peter Wilson and Perez Mukisa only seeing home replies coming from George Bloxham and James Lovett.

For Sandy Reserves it was their first home win of the season in beating M&DH Clapham Reserves 2-0 thanks to goals from Jimmy Scott and Stewart Robinson. Whilst Clifton Reserves were forced to sit the afternoon out after their intended visitors Tunisian Community were earlier in the week placed under league suspension.

Division Five League Table at 13th November 2021

1	Wootton Blue Cross U23	9	6	2	1	56	13	43	20
2	Newman United First	9	6	2	1	26	15	11	20
3	Sporting Carpathians Reserves	6	5	1	0	24	10	14	16
4	Luton Panthers FC	9	4	3	2	29	15	14	15
5	Woodside Adult	8	4	2	2	20	12	8	14
6	Clifton Reserves	5	4	1	0	24	6	18	13
7	Harlington Juniors Reserves	10	3	2	5	24	35	-11	11
8	Sandy (Sat) Reserves	7	2	1	4	16	19	-3	7
9	Revivalists First	8	2	0	6	11	26	-15	6
10	M&DH Clapham Sports (Sat) Reserves	9	1	0	8	13	52	-39	3
11	Tunisian Community First	8	0	0	8	14	54	-40	0

The Next Seven Days

Saturday 20th November 2021

Premier Division supported by Sportsform

AFC Kempston Town & Bedford College v Bedford Albion

Caldecote v Biggleswade United U23

Elstow Abbey v AFC Oakley

Flitwick Town v Crawley Green Reserves

Marston Shelton Rovers v Biggleswade FC Reserves

Queens Park Crescents v Shefford Town & Campton Reserves

Riseley Sports v Cranfield United

Sharnbrook v Stevington

Division One

Cranfield United Reserves v Totternhoe Reserves

Lea Sports PSG v Flitwick Town Reserves

Potton United Reserves v Pitstone & Ivinghoe Reserves

St Josephs (Saturday) v Barton Rovers Reserves

Sporting Lewsey Park v Wilstead

Division Two supported by Hy-Pro

AFC Oakley Reserves v Harlington Juniors

Bedford SA v Stopsley United

Soccerlise v Brache Phoenix

The 61 FC Luton Reserves v AFC Bedford United

Wootton Blue Cross v Renhold United

Division Three supported by Hy-Pro

Atletico Europa v FC Haynes Reserves

Caldecote Reserves v Marston Shelton Rovers Reserves

FC Polonia(Luton) v Sandy

Sharnbrook Reserves v Sporting Carpathians

Bedfordshire FC Junior Cup Third Round

Bedford Santos v Flitwick Town A

Sporting Carpathians Reserves v Wootton Blue Cross Reserves

Division Four

Blunham v Lea Sports PSG Reserves

Kempston Rovers v Catsbrook Wanderers

Shefford Town & Campton A v Square FC

Division Five

Harlington Juniors Reserves v Revivalists

Luton Panthers v Clifton Reserves

Tunisian Community v Newman United

Wootton Blue Cross U23 v Woodside Adult