







<u>Tadley Calleva v No</u>rth Greenford Utd

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Combined Counties League - Premier Division

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North Greenford United



Today's Visitors

We welcome North Greenford United to Barlow's Park today in the reverse fixture of this season's league campaign. We will be looking to put on a better display than we did in our first meeting when we were well beaten 8-3 at Berkley Fields. A very disappointing second half performance from us after going in at the break on level terms at 2-2.

North Greenford United was founded in 1944 as a youth team. The following season saw the formation of a senior side with the club entering the Harrow League and later the Middlesex County League. In 1983 the club was promoted to the Spartan League but in 1994 it resigned to re-join the Middlesex League. Keen to regain senior status, ground improvements were undertaken, and in 2002 the club was elected to the Combined Counties League.

In 2003-04, the club were runners up in the Premier Challenge Cup losing 4-1 to AFC Wimbledon in front of a large crowd of 5000+ at Woking FC. In 2004-05, the club finished league runners-up and the following year reached the League Cup semi-final. In 2006-07 the team went one better, but unfortunately lost 4-1 to Merstham in the final. Season 2009-10 proved to be the most successful in the club's history when they became Combined Counties Champions earning promotion to the

newly formed Southern Football League Division
One (Central), as well as winning the MFA Charity Cup
beating Enfield Town 1-0 at Hampton & Richmond's
ground. Despite having a difficult first season at the
higher level they succeeded in retaining Step 4 status.

In 2014-15, an impressive end of season run saw the team finish four points clear of bottom club AFC Hayes and the club were granted a reprieve from relegation by the FA. However the following season, despite some promising performances, results did not improve and on this occasion there would be no chance of another reprieve. The club was offered a place in the Combined Counties Premier Division after successfully appealing the FA decision to place the club in the Hellenic League.

In the 2016-17 and 2017-18 seasons the club finished in a creditable 13th positiion on both campaigns. Two major changes were then forced on the club during the close season. The management team unexpectedly resigned and the club was moved to the Spartan League Premier Division.

After the curtailment of the previous two seasons, and as a result of the NLS restructure, the club was placed in the Combined Counties Premier Divison (North) for season 2021-22 and have made an impressive start.

Progress being made...



From the 'dugout'

Good afternoon everyone. An extended warm welcome to all North Greenford United management, players, committee, their travelling fans and also to today's match officials.

Disappointing result last Saturday for the squad and the management team. We are looking to bounce back today.

A summary of our time so far at the club - With this being our last game until after Christmas our initial aim was to be out of the bottom three, which after today's game we have hopefully achieved. The Christmas period is going to be a telling time for us as the other teams around us will have caught up with us on games played.

Although it's very tight at the bottom we are pleased with where we are and how we are progressing. On paper, fans may not see it like this because we have had some indifferent performances and a couple a sore defeats. However, this is a process and it takes time. Behind the scenes we have strengthened, stabilised and

picked up valuable points to get us off the bottom of the table. We have recruited well, which is still a priority over the next few weeks when we will be looking to inject some 'young blood' into the first team squad.

We take the positives out of every game and work hard on the negatives. It was definitely a game of two halves versus Burnham on Saturday. Consistency is going to be massive for us moving into the second half of the season and we are confident we can achieve this. We are confident in what we are doing and the direction we are taking and hopefully that is on show today. We really hope you can enjoy today's game, that the boys work hard and wear the Tadley shirt with pride.

We hope you're enjoying the process as much as we are? Please cheer the boys on today and watch three points come our way.

The Gaffers

Ben Disson and Joe Lawser

Welcome to Barlows Park —

Home to Tadley Calleva FC

Barlow's Park is a modern football facility consisting of several pitches, changing rooms and a clubhouse bar.

The facilities, which include 6 changing rooms and a board room, are also available for hire by other local organisations.

Situated in Tadley on the Hampshire/ Berkshire border, it is run by volunteers on a non-profit basis, to provide football amenities to the local community. The Park is managed by the BPMA (Barlow's Park Management Association). Since taking over in September 2007 ongoing improvements have and continue to be made in partnership with Tadley Calleva FC.

The latest of which include a new 130 seated stand, 2 covered standing areas, new floodlights and an extension to the clubhouse bar.

For further information on Barlow's Park please call: 0118 9817367





Next Fixture

Sat 27th Dec

READING CITY v TADLEY CALLEVA
Combined Counties League - Premier Division (North)

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The Rivermoor Stadium, Reading, RG30 6AY - 11.30am kick-off

League Table

FULL TABLE DETAIL >

| Pos | Team | Р | w | D | L | GD | PTS |
|-----|------------------------|----|----|---|----|-----|-----|
| 1 | Hanworth Villa | 16 | 13 | 3 | 0 | 32 | 42 |
| 2 | Southall | 15 | 11 | 1 | 3 | 26 | 34 |
| 3 | North Greenford United | 16 | 9 | 3 | 4 | 33 | 30 |
| 4 | Egham Town | 15 | 8 | 4 | 3 | 15 | 28 |
| 5 | Abbey Rangers | 14 | 9 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 28 |
| 6 | St Panteleimon | 15 | 8 | 3 | 4 | 14 | 27 |
| 7 | Windsor | 17 | 7 | 4 | 6 | -4 | 25 |
| 8 | Ascot United | 14 | 7 | 3 | 4 | 6 | 24 |
| 9 | Edgware Town | 14 | 6 | 5 | 3 | 16 | 23 |
| 10 | Wembley | 17 | 6 | 5 | 6 | 6 | 23 |
| 11 | Reading City | 16 | 4 | 6 | 6 | -3 | 18 |
| 12 | Spelthorne Sports | 16 | 5 | 3 | 8 | -7 | 18 |
| 13 | Burnham | 15 | 4 | 4 | 7 | -15 | 16 |
| 14 | Virginia Water | 16 | 4 | 2 | 10 | -20 | 14 |
| 15 | Tadley Calleva | 18 | 3 | 3 | 12 | -21 | 12 |
| 16 | Wokingham & Emmbrook | 14 | 3 | 2 | 9 | -12 | 11 |
| 17 | Holyport | 17 | 3 | 2 | 12 | -30 | 11 |
| 18 | CB Hounslow United | 17 | 3 | 2 | 12 | -39 | 11 |





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A Game of Two Halves...

Reported by Steve Williams

Burnham 5 Tadley Calleva 4 Combined Counties League - Premier Division (North) Saturday 27th November 2021

A Jekyll and Hyde performance - a really positive first half with Brett Denham scoring three for Tadley to lead 4-1 going in at the break. Unfortunately as we tired we conceded 4 goals without reply in the second half with the midfield stretched and the back line unprotected.

In the first half vintage Brett Denham, who was looking sharp around the goal, formed a good partnership with Ben Wright, the pick of his goals being the third with a 20 yard lob over the keeper. Lucas Burt and Ousman Darboe stood out in the first half. From Burt's deep cross Jordan Goater headed firmley into the net.

The away defence looked solid in the first 45 minutes - particularly the central defensive pairing of Brad Neal and Andrew Charsley - although left winger Firas Chniba was proving a handful and led to Aiden Harris conceding a penalty at 2-0. To our relief Craig Atkinson made a magnificent save at full stretch. Previously Atkinson had brilliantly denied the Burnham striker. At 3-0 Atkinson misjudged a distance strike from Manny Willams that he appeared to mishandle and the ball hit the post rebounding to Burnham forward Tayo Ajayi to pass into an empty goal. However, Tadley delighted to go in at the break with a convincing lead. (HT 1-4)

In the second half domininant Burnham midfielder Aaron Derama scored early with a long range shot. This seemed to unnerve our previously calm defence. With Chniba switched to centre midfield Burnham were a constant threat and scored 14 minutes later from a Dwayne Clarke free-kick from just outside the box which went straight through the wall. A further home goal came 12 minutes later when wide player Clarke scored his second goal of the game after a long diagonal pass. On 90 minutes, Burnham scored their fifth and winning goal from a powerful strike by Ajayi released as Burnham broke clear of the Tadley midfield.

Our boys offered minimal threat in the second half, but did have a goal ruled out for offside at 4-2 which looked a very close call. Brett Denham was also thwarted by goalkeeper Tautis Poniskaitus saving at his feet.

Jordan Goater was also denied an injury time equaliser after a great save from an angled shot.

For our hugely disappointed management team and players the conundrum is how to balance attacking intent with more solid defence especially in the 2nd half.

Team; Atkinson, Harris, Walsh, Charsley, Neal, Darboe, Goater, Elward (Maylen), Denham, Wright, Burt (East). Subs (not used); Turner, Rolfe (Attendance 62)

The previous Saturday we won 3-0 at home against Holyport. Jordan Goater opened the scoring with a 20 yard strike that went in off the post for a 1-0 half time lead before Connor Thorne and Ben Wright made the points safe late on with two excellently taken goals.



The History

Tadley has had a football team since the early 1900's. In the modern era the team was re-formed in 1989 and played in the Basingstoke and North Hants Leagues before winning promotion to the Hampshire League. The club was formed as Tadley F.C. in 1989. They joined the Hampshire League Division Three in 1994, finishing runners-up in 1995–96, gaining promotion to Division Two.

The club changed it's name to Tadley Town F.C. in 1999 and joined Division One upon re-organisation. In 2004, they changed their name to their present name and entered the Wessex Football League Division Three.

Division Three was re-named Division Two in 2006, and the club finished runners-up in 2007. In the 2007–08 season, they won the Wessex League Division One title but were denied promotion as their ground did not meet the requirements for the Premier Division. The Reserve side was also very successful in the same season by taking the Wessex Combination League title.

Since then the team has remained in Division One and has steadily been making progress on and off the field year on year. They narrowly missed out on promotion in 2014-15 and 2015-16 respectively by finishing in 3rd position in both seasons.

In the 2010–11 campaign they reached the final of the Basingstoke Senior Cup losing to Thatcham Town 4–1. The club then went on to win the same cup in 2013-14 beating local rivals AFC Aldermaston 3-2 (aet) in the final. In September 2014, the club recorded probably the best result of its modern history, defeating Conference South Basingstoke Town on penalties in the Hampshire FA Senior Cup at The Camrose after a 2-2 draw in 90 minutes.

The club had it's best run in the FA Vase in season 2015-16 reaching the 3rd round proper before eventually being knocked out 4-2 after a replay and extra-time against Newport (loW) from the Wessex Premier Division.

They have also reached the final of the North Hants Senior Cup in the last two seasons; losing out 3-1 to local rivals Whitchurch United in 2016-17, again at The Camrose, and then 5-4 on penalties to Andover New Street in 2017-18 at Longmeadow after a 3-3 draw in normal time.

The club achieved it's ambition of gaining promotion to the Wessex League Premier Division last season - the highest level (Step 5) that the club has competed at. The goal is to consolidate its position on the field and to make significant progress with the infrastructure off the field.



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ANDREW CHARSLEY

BRAD NEAL

LUCAS BURT

BEN WRIGHT

CALLUM CLEARY

JORDAN GOATER

JACOB ROLFE

AARON PARFITT

BRETT DENHAM

MAX ELWARD

JOSH DREW

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North Greenford United



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JOE MILLS

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