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# JOINT CHAIRMAN: **CHRIS DAYNES**

**Good afternoon and welcome to the AGL Arena for today's Isthmian League North fixture as we greet the players, officials and supporters of Maldon & Tiptree, as well as our match officials.**

We'd also like to welcome Brooks & Wood as match sponsor, Eastcliff Carpets as ball sponsor and our young mascots for the day.

At the time of writing (Monday), the Jammers are due to unveil their new manager ahead of this weekend. How many times have we seen an instant improvement in results with the 'new manager bounce'?, so I'm not reading anything into the league table which shows our visitors in the unfamiliar position of rock bottom without a point on the board.

In our last home game versus New Salamis we expected a tough game against opponents with a similar start to the season as us but we brushed them aside with one of the best all round performances we've ever witnessed. Once we matched their physical attributes, we were able to let our football do the talking, and we certainly did that! We've perhaps been guilty of missing too many chances over the last couple of years but we found our scoring boots to record a fine 5-0 win.

Last Saturday at Wroxham our habit of creating plenty, but being made to pay for not taking those opportunities came back to haunt us when a last minute equaliser for the home side gave a score line that wasn't a fair reflection of the game.

So, today it's about making sure we take those chances and if we're fortunate enough to be in front, go on to put the game to bed.



On Tuesday we make the long trip to Chertsey in the next round of the Velocity Trophy. I've noticed differing opinions on this competition, with entry not compulsory and the likelihood of long midweek trips, but personally I think it's a good opportunity to play new clubs, give minutes to some players who need them, whilst always fielding a side to win it. There's no point entering a competition if you don't want to win it!

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Chris

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# FROM THE DUGOUT: **STUART BOARDLEY**

**Good afternoon and a warm welcome to you all to the AGL Arena where we host Maldon & Tiptree in a game where we will be looking to get back to winning ways following a frustrating draw last time out against Wroxham - more on that later.....**

Firstly we head back to mid September where we comfortably beat an in form New Salamis side. On the day we were unplayable going forward and fully deserved the five goal victory. That game preceded Witham Town in the Velocity trophy whereby we continued our good form and run out 3-1 winners in a solid yet unspectacular performance.



These results lead us buoyantly into the Wroxham fixture where we travelled to the Yachtsmen in confident mood. Unfortunately it just wasn't to be for us as we managed to steal a point from the jaws of victory. It was a strange game because for large parts we felt





so comfortable and had numerous chances to make the scoreline safe but a single goal lead is never enough to be sure of the points in this league and sure enough Wroxham nicked an 89th minute equaliser. Disappointed was the overwhelming feeling albeit that was probably an understatement given the chances we spurned.

Whilst writing these notes, I'd like to give a huge pat on the back to the coaches and managers of our U18 and U23 teams. The U18s have seen a new, young batch of players come into the squad and Dan and Darren have already turned them into an exciting team capable of mixing it with the best teams around Suffolk.

Anyone who has attended the two U23 games so far this season will have witnessed a huge improvement in the group. A lot of hard work has happened throughout the summer and Ian and Tom should be rightly proud of the side they have put together, particularly following a difficult few years, with league changes and a very young squad to name

just a couple of the challenges faced.

Maldon will be a huge test today, make no bones about it. They look like by the time they face us they'll have a new manager in charge and that undoubtedly will give them a lift. Their form has been poor this season and all that does is lie the pressure to get a result, firmly at our door so we must deal with that pressure and perform as we have done pretty consistently so far this campaign.

It is really pleasing that we'll be joined by some of our youngest Seasiders as mascots today. Connecting with our Youth sections is so important to me as a Manager. Some of the first team squad will be coming down a little early to take the young boys and girls in a training session, an insight into what it's like in the matchday changing room and then finally they lead the teams out this afternoon.

Hopefully they'll be our lucky charm!!!!

Enjoy the game  
Boards.



# MATCH REPORT

SATURDAY 17<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER  
Isthmian North League

**Felixstowe & Walton Utd 5**

*Harrison 2, Canfer 3*

**New Salamis 0**

Previously unbeaten Isthmian League newcomers New Salamis were blown apart by a scintillating performance by a Felixstowe & Walton United side that showed a ruthless streak that perhaps has been missing in previous seasons, a performance and result that put the Seaside top of the fledgling league table.

PHOTOS  
BY STEFAN  
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## HOW WE LINED UP:

1. Callum Robinson
2. Callum Bennett
3. Joe Whight
4. Billy Holland
5. Milo Grimes
6. Harry Knock
7. Henry Barley
8. Noel Aitkens
9. Zak Brown
10. Callum Harrison
11. Lamell Howell

## SUBS

12. Charlie Warren
14. Joshua Hitter
15. Oliver Canfer
16. Tom Maycock
17. Harry Blackburn





Felixstowe welcomed back Henry Barley to the starting eleven after injury, with Harry Knock at the heart of defence following his recent permanent signing from Ipswich Town. The visitors included forward Derek Asamoah, a former professional at Carlisle United, Lincoln City and Shrewsbury Town.

A minute's silence was observed and the National Anthem played as a mark of respect to the passing of Queen Elizabeth II.

It was clear from the first whistle that Felixstowe were keen to set the tempo of the game and gain control in the middle of the park, they did this quite brilliantly and it was one-way traffic from the off. Noel Aitkens came close to the opener after just 2 minutes, his long-range piledriver from 20 yards just skimming the left post after some great build up play from Lamell Howell. A minute later and it was Aitkens this time turning provider as he set up play on the right and found Callum Harrison in a good position, Harrison turning and shooting wide of the post. Felixstowe's early dominance was rewarded on 7 minutes, Lamell Howell broke forward and was bundled over in the box as he was about to shoot, up stepped **Callum Harrison** with the penalty, his shot was low and hard but the goalkeeper guessed correctly to



save down to his left but could only send the loose ball back out to Harrison who fired in the rebound to give the Seasiders a deserved lead. New Salamis were struggling to make any impact in the game at all but finally found a way forward on 12 minutes, Asamoah came inside from the left and sent his 22-yard effort just over the crossbar. If the visitors task was already looking difficult, it was looking near impossible on 22 minutes as the away side were reduced to ten men, Jandir Jose rightly seeing red for a high challenge on the edge of the area. Harrison fancied the resulting free kick but his low shot was saved comfortably by Olajide. Henry Barley came close to doubling the Seasiders advantage on 25 minutes, first seeing his curling effort deflected just wide, and then from the corner kick, leathering the ball towards the goal from the edge of the area but seeing his blistering shot go agonisingly inches over the bar. Felixstowe were forced into a change on 35 minutes, Zak Brown unable to run off a strain, with Ollie Canfer coming on to the field. His impact was instant as he doubled





the lead within a minute to finish a fantastic move. Noel Aitkens spread the ball to the right, Callum Bennett put across a perfect cross into **Canfer** who laid it off with his chest before receiving it back in order to smash the ball through the goalkeeper from 10 yards. Harrison sliced just wide on 38 minutes as the pressure continued. New Salamis were given a decent opportunity to finally get into the game on 45 minutes as they won a free kick in a

central position, 23 yards from goal, there were loud cheers as the effort from Skandari flew way over the bar and troubled the checkout staff in Tesco in Hamilton Road more than Callum Robinson! Two minutes into first half injury time and it was 3-0, Callum Bennett with another superb delivery in to Canfer whose shot was saved by the body of the keeper before rebounding out to an unmarked **Callum Harrison** on the left who fired into the empty net.

New Salamis found a higher gear for the first 5 minutes of the second half, without creating too much, before Felixstowe once again grabbed the game and didn't let go for the remainder. Harrison shot just over from 20 yards on 50 minutes as he looked for his hat-trick, before Ollie Canfer joined him on two goals 3 minutes later, a bullet cross from the right was met by Canfer in the box and he expertly headed into the far side of the net to finish off any last resistance that the visitors may potentially have mustered. **Canfer** didn't have long to wait for his hat-trick, that came on 66 minutes, 31 playing minutes since his introduction





to the field, and once again it was superb goal to finish off a flowing move from a rampant Felixstowe side, Canfer in the right place at the end to poke the ball under the keeper and into the gaping goal. Harrison fired just over on 70 minutes as the game slowed with Felixstowe happy now to play the ball around and preserve some energy for Tuesday's big game at Sudbury (Now postponed due to an FA Cup replay).

The visitors had their best chance of the match on 72 minutes, Richard Ennin finding space on the right to get into a great position and force a good low save from Callum Robinson, who had been largely redundant thus far. Substitute Harry Blackburn came closest to a sixth goal, his shot from the edge of the area on 75 minutes producing a decent save from Olajide. From there on, no further chances were created by either side, New Salamis no doubt disappointed with their performance after such an impressive start to the league campaign, and Felixstowe more than happy

with their five goals and three points as they saw out the game with ease to rise to the top of the Isthmian North.





# WELCOME BACK FORDY!

Sam Ford has signed for his third spell with the Seaside's. The former Ipswich Town & West Ham forward has been playing in Australia since leaving Arbroath at the end of last season. We're delighted his world tour has stopped off in sunny Felixstowe again!



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As mascots, the players will enjoy a mini match day experience taking part in a training session with First Team Coaches and players, a penalty shoot out on the main pitch and a mini tour of the seaside's changing rooms before enjoying the all important hot dog and chips prior to kick off. Look out for the players as they wear their new kit for the first time whilst walking out with their new heroes.

Next week will also see the players play their very first friendly game away at Stowupland and everyone at the club hopes they enjoy



the start of a long and enjoyable journey with the Seaside's!

The first team management and players want to wish all junior players from across the club a successful season. As always they will be looking out for opportunities to take in games over the weekends and support you all!



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# OUR SQUAD

Introducing the Felixstowe & Walton United playing squad and management team of 2022/2023.

## WELCOME TO THE CLUB KOTRYNA....

### KOTRYNA STOKNAITE SPORTS THERAPIST

"Hi I'm Kotryna Stoknaite, a BSc sport therapy graduate from the University of Essex and the new Sport Therapist for Felixstowe & Walton United Football Club. Throughout my undergraduate degree I had the opportunity to work as a sports therapist for the Colchester Rugby First team, as well as treating patients weekly at the university clinic. I look forward to working with the players this season."



### STUART BOARDLEY MANAGER

Stuart started his footballing career at Ipswich Town leaving in 2004 after 10 years. He went on to play for Torquay United, Sudbury, Leiston and Felixstowe. In 2018 he was appointed as Manager of Leiston but left in 2019 to become Manager of Felixstowe & Walton United.

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### ANDY CRUMP ASSISTANT MANAGER

Andy returned to Felixstowe & Walton United as Assistant Manager following the appointment of Stuart Boardley in 2019. Having enjoyed success in previous spells at the club as both player and First Team Coach.

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### STUART STEVENSON COACH

After hanging up his boots Stuart joined Felixstowe Utd as a fitness coach/physio, then on to Trimley to help coach his son's team from the U8s-U16s. Stuart rejoined the Seaside's to coach the U18s which lead him on to being part of the first team staff. Stuart is an FA level 2 coach and an FA level 1 mentor.

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### GARY HAMMOND GOALKEEPER COACH

Gary is in his fifth season with the club. He was part of the double winning team with Walton Utd before the merger with Felixstowe. He has a wealth of experience having previously played for Stowmarket, Woodbridge and Ipswich Wanderers. Gary is also Club Treasurer.

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## **CALLUM ROBINSON** **GOALKEEPER**

Callum joined the club in 2020 from Stowmarket Town. He started his career at Colchester United before playing for Wroxham, AFC Sudbury and spent time on loan at Brantham Athletic.

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## **STUART AINSLEY** **LEFT BACK**

Stuart joined the club for his second spell in 2014 from Lowestoft Town. Previous clubs include Chelmsford City and AFC Sudbury. Stuart spent 10 years at Ipswich Town, winning the FA Youth Cup in 2005. Stuart has a sweet left foot and a great work ethic.

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## **JOE WHIGHT** **DEFENDER**

Joe came through the ITFC Youth system before playing for the likes of Needham, Bury and most recently AFC Sudbury where he captained their side. A left sided defender, Joe offers composure, a wonderful left foot and a toughness and desire to defend to the back line.

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## **CALLUM BENNETT** **RIGHT BACK**

Callum is in his second spell at the club having re-joined in late 2018. An attacking full back with one of the best ball deliveries in non-league football. Callum has plenty of experience from his time at Ipswich U18s, Stoke City U21s and Notts County.

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## **CURTIS HAYNES-BROWN** **DEFENDER**

Curtis joined in 2020 from Stanway Rovers and has a fine Isthmian league pedigree. Previous clubs include AFC Sudbury, Lowestoft Town, Yeovil Town, Cambridge Utd, AFC Wimbledon, Macclesfield Town and Maldon & Tiptree.

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## **MILO GRIMES** **DEFENDER**

Milo joins the Seasiders from Coggeshall Town where he was ever present during the last campaign. A tough tackling centre half but with ability to play out from the back. A good leader and talker for a 22 year old, and sure to become a firm fan favourite.

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## **HARRY KNOCK** **DEFENDER**

Harry joins the Seaside on a permanent deal following his hugely successful loan spell in 2021/22 season. Harry, a former Scholar at ITFC, quickly became a fan favourite and an integral part of the side finishing in the play offs.

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## **HARRY BLACKBURN** **RIGHT BACK/MIDFIELDER**

Like Charlie Warren, Harry graduated through the Needham Market academy and joins the Seaside predominantly as an attacking fullback. Harry plays with confidence in possession and supporters will enjoy seeing him create chances for our forward players.

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## **BILLY HOLLAND** **MIDFIELDER**

Billy started life at Ipswich Wanderers and has had spells at Needham, Leiston and AFC Sudbury. He's established himself as a mainstay in the centre of midfield. Players player and Supporters player of the year last season has led to him being appointed captain for the forthcoming year.

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## **NOEL AITKENS** **MIDFIELDER**

Noel's signing for the club in 2020 caused a stir amongst the non-league world, joining from step 3 Leiston and being described by manager Boardley as "the best midfield player in this area". Noel is quick, strong, can tackle, is athletic and can really play football!

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## **LEON OTTLEY-GOOCH** **MIDFIELDER**

Leon signed for the club in 2020 and is another vastly experienced player at step 3 and 4 level. Previous clubs include Leiston, Bury Town, Hadleigh Utd and Stowmarket Town. Leon is very versatile but is predominantly a dynamic midfield player.

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## **JOSH HITTER** **MIDFIELDER**

Josh signed for us in 2021 having played his football at Step 3 side Leiston for the previous three seasons and gained a vast amount of experience at that level. Josh is a dynamic attack minded player who likes to arrive in the box late and score goals.

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## **CALLUM HARRISON** **MIDFIELDER**

Former Colchester United, Needham, Sudbury and more recently Chelmsford midfielder joins the Seaside for the 22/23 campaign. A highly sought after creative and technically gifted midfielder that loves to get forward and provide the team with both goals and assists.

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## **RORY PORTER** **MIDFIELDER**

Rory is one of the brightest players in recent years to progress through the youth system at Felixstowe & Walton. Having worked hard in the U23's during the 2021/22 season, Rory progresses permanently into the first team squad for the up and coming season.

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## **HENRY BARLEY** **MIDFIELDER/FORWARD**

Henry signed for the club in 2019 following his contract expiring at Ipswich Town. Another popular young player who had also been on loan from the then EFL Championship club the previous season.

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## **TOM MAYCOCK** **MIDFIELDER/FORWARD**

Former Sudbury youngster Tom joins us following a season at Step 3 with Needham Market. A technically gifted left footed forward who can play a number of positions across the front line.

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## **LAMELL HOWELL** **MIDFIELDER/FORWARD**

Lamell signed from Brightlingsea Regent in 2020. He can play on both wings or in the number 10 position and brings pace and trickery to the side. He has previously played for Stowmarket Town, Debenham FC and Brantham Athletic.

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## **CHARLIE WARREN** **MIDFIELDER/FORWARD**

Having initially joined on loan from Needham Market, Charlie made an instant impact on his debut in the FA Trophy win at Hastings. Following a number of impressive performances, manager Boardley moved quickly to secure the permanent services of one of Suffolk's brightest young players.

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## **ARMANI SCHAAR** **MIDFIELDER/FORWARD**

Armani played for Felixstowe & Walton back in 2016 before moving on to Leiston and then Lowestoft Town where he helped them avoid relegation. Armani has also had spells at Needham Market and brings with him plenty of experience playing at step 3 level.

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## **GEORGE CLARKE** **FORWARD**

George joined the Seasiders from Stowmarket Town in 2020 and has previously played for Ipswich Town, AFC Sudbury, Needham Market, Brightlingsea Regent and Brantham Athletic. George is a powerful and dynamic centre forward that is looking to make his mark following a lengthy spell on the sidelines through injury.

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## **OLLIE CANFER** **FORWARD**

Ollie made a dramatic impact when he joined the club in November 2019, signing from Mildenhall Town. "Canfs" burst onto the scene scoring 9 goals in 13 games. The fans love his non-stop running and desire to cause defensive headaches for the opposition.

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## **ZAK BROWN** **FORWARD**

A sought after and highly rated young striker with blistering pace and a great goal scoring record. At just 17, Zak penned a two year pro contract with ITFC where he was a regular marksman in the U23's. Zak started life in the Seasiders Youth sections and has returned to lead the forward line as the clubs No. 9.

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## **SAM FORD** **FORWARD**

Having spent a successful period with Arbroath last season that saw them just miss out on promotion to the Scottish Premiership, Sam spent the Summer with Hume City FC in Australia before returning to Felixstowe. Coming through ITFC and later West Ham's academy, Sam is a local talent who will provide real firepower in front of goal.

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# THE OTHER SIDE MALDON & TIPTREE



In 2009, Ed Garty took over the ownership of Maldon Town from Michael Kirkham, whilst still in charge of running Tiptree United and installed Alan Brockhouse as Maldon Town's new chairman. Following the takeover, Colin Wallington returned for a second spell in charge of Maldon Town, leaving his post as Tiptree United manager immediately. Colin previously managed Maldon Town from 2003 until 2007, having achieved promotion in the 2005-06 via the play-off final. Having left Maldon in 2007, Colin went on to manage Tiptree United where he achieved promotion winning the Eastern Counties Division One title in the 2007/08 season. Until the conclusion of the 2009/10 season both Maldon Town & Tiptree United played their home games at Park Drive, under a ground share arrangement.

In the summer of 2010, Maldon Town & Tiptree United amalgamated to form, Maldon & Tiptree Football Club, under the ownership of Ed Garty. As a result of the amalgamation, Tiptree United withdrew from the Essex Senior League, resulting in the clubs last ever fixture being a 3-1 defeat against Enfield 1893 on 24 April 2010. Maldon & Tiptree took the place of Maldon Town in the Isthmian Division One North.

Following the retirement of Colin Wallington, Assistant Manager, Brad King and Glen Knight were appointed as the clubs Joint-Manager. As the pair's first managerial role, the new club witnessed wholesale changes with only a handful of players remaining who finished the season with Maldon Town and Tiptree United, respectively.

The 2010-11 campaign saw the new club remain in or around the play-off positions for the majority of the season, finishing in eighth place to finish the season with sixty-three points. Despite the high turnover of players, the good standard of football was maintained and it was in the end, a disappointing end to the season, for the club to fall away in the later stages of the season when suspensions and injuries eventually took their toll to leave the club frustratingly short of the play-off positions at the end of April. The 2011-12 season,





proved to not be so successful and in November 2011, King and Knight were relieved of their duties with immediate effect. Ex-Charlton professional Mike Flanagan was appointed as Caretaker Manager and remained in place until the end of the season, steering the club to a respectful mid-table finish, managing thirty-three games and finishing with a win percentage of 49.12%.

At the start of the 2012-13 campaign, ex-Stansted & Redbridge boss Terry Spillane was appointed as Manager, and Mike Flanagan departed the club. The change of management, once again brought wholesale changes with the playing squad. Ex Tiptree United manager, Jody was brought to the club as Terry's Assistant Manager. After a fantastic and unbeaten start to the season, the club found themselves at the top of the table but an incredible run by eventual Champions Grays Athletic meant Maldon had to settle for a place in the play-offs – Terry's side remained unbeaten until Boxing Day, when they lost away from home against local rivals Heybridge Swifts. Disappointment came in the play-off final however when they lost a two goal lead to draw with Thamesmead Town, who then went on to win the final, on penalties.

After a disappointing end to the previous season, Terry Spillane oversaw more wholesale changes in the playing squad, including the departure of Assistant Manager, Jody Brown. Despite the changes, Maldon finished in ninth position with seventy-six points, winning twenty-one games.

More changes to the playing staff, resulted in poor start to the 2014-15 season, and the club parted ways with Spillane in September 2014, with Chairman, Ed Garty takeover as Caretaker Manager, for three games. At the end of September 2014, Alan Kimble was appointed as manager and remained in charge for the remainder of the season, however the side struggled and more changes in the playing staff occurred. Maldon finished the season in nineteenth place with only forty-nine points.

During the 2014-15 season, Media Officer at the time, Richard Buckby ran a competition for supporters to vote for a club nickname, with the options The River Boys, The Marshmen, The Mudmen & The Jammers available. The vote took place in January 2015 and was featured on National Radio station, TalkSport, with the The Jammers winning the vote with over 50% and being confirmed as





the club's new nickname.

Following the completion of the 2014-15 season, the club linked with Colchester United and the two clubs formed close ties, which resulted in ex-Ipswich Town midfielder, David Wright being appointed as First Team Manager. Wright remained in charge until December 2015 as he was appointed Assistant Manager of Colchester United. Liam Bailey took charge of the First Team on a temporary basis, only managing one game, which finished four-all against Tilbury on Boxing Day in 2015. Moving into 2016, ex-Leiston Manager, Steve Ball was appointed First Team Manager and steered the club to a respectable finish in the league table climbing to seventh place, only missing out on the play-off places by nine points.

In the closed season, a change of Management at Colchester United saw Steve Ball appointed as their Assistant Manager, leaving his position of Maldon & Tiptree Manager as a result. Ex-Manchester City midfielder, Kevin Horlock was then appointed as First Team manager ahead of the 2016-17 campaign and for the majority of the season, the Jammers sat at the top of the table before slipping away to finish in second place. Horlock's side managed to reach the play-off final, however lost to Thurrock one-nil. The following campaign was not quite as successful for Horlock, with Maldon finishing just outside the play-off places in seventh place, with sixty-nine points.

After managing 112 games, Kevin Horlock departed in the closed season and was replaced by ex-Colchester defender, Wayne Brown. In Brown's first season in charge, the 2018-19 season, the Jammers finished in second place and reached the play-off final, but lost on penalties against local rivals, Heybridge Swifts.

The 2019-20 season was one to remember for the club, but for the right and wrong reasons. The club achieved great things in the Emirates FA Cup. Having reached the First Round proper of the competition, Maldon beat League Two side, Leyton Orient away from home, taking over 600 fans to the home of The O's, with the goals coming from Danny Parish and a superb solo goal from Jerome Slew. In the second round proper, Maldon were drawn against Football League side, Newport County with the game being shown live on National Television – with the Jammers only beaten by the League Two side, with a goal in stoppage time, with the game finishing 1-0. A record attendance of 1876 was recorded.





Photo courtesy of Roy Warner

However, the 2019–20 season will also be remembered for the wrong reasons. After impressive performances on the field, the Jammers found themselves top of the Isthmian Division One North, thirteen points clear with four games in hand, when disaster struck. With a global pandemic declared, as a result of Coronavirus, the league competition was formally abandoned on 26 March 2020, with all results from the season being expunged, and no promotion or relegation taking place to, from, or within the division. The club were denied a chance of promotion and forced to remain in the Division One North for the 2020–21 season.

Following the disappointing end to the 2020–21 season, Wayne Brown remained in charge of the club and wholesale changes in the playing squad occurred again, with a number of last season's squad securing transfers to clubs higher up the football pyramid.

The Jammers were dealt a big blow in October 2020 when owner and Chairman, Ed Garty stood down from his position with immediate effect, after a challenging ten years at the helm. After a period of uncertainty for the football club, General Manager, Ron Dangerfield was confirmed as the new Chairman, with Richard Cowling taking ownership of the football club.

Just like the 2019–20 season, the 2020–21 season was terminated with promotion and relegation denied for all the sides competing in the Division One North. However, prior to the termination the Jammers reached the Emirates FA Cup First Round for the second successive season, this time losing to Morecambe 1-0 in front of the television cameras and achieved their longest ever run in the Buildbase FA Trophy, before losing to Gloucester City. The Jammers were only able to play the five league

games, finishing in third place before the season was curtailed.

Heading in to the 2021/22 season, Wayne Brown remained in charge of the First Team and is now the club's longest serving manager, holding the record for the most games managed in charge of Maldon & Tiptree Football Club.

Midway through the 2021/22 season, Brown was appointed as interim Head Coach at Colchester United, with Paul Abrahams taking over as interim Manager. Abrahams steered the Jammers within touching distance of the play-off semi-finals, however three defeats in the final three games saw the Jammers fall short, in 9th spot resulting in the Jammers remaining in the Isthmian Division One North for another season.

At the end of the season, Ron Dangerfield announced his departure as Chairman and left the club to join Charlton Athletic as Secretary. Jerry Carter replaced Dangerfield as Chairman, joining the club from Braintree Town. Roger Stapleton was immediately appointed as the club's vice-Chair.

In May 2022, Wayne Brown departed on a permanent basis and was appointed as Head Coach at Colchester United, having managed 141 games and a win percentage of 68% and arguably the club's most successful manager to date. After a positive spell as interim Manager, Paul Abrahams was appointed manager on 17 May 2022 following a five year term as Assistant Manager under various Managers.

Following a poor run of results in the league the club announced on 21st September 2022 the departure of Paul Abrahams with a new manager expected to be in place ahead of the game against Felixstowe & Walton United.



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**Not many people know this....**



## **Where are they now?** Felixstowe Town 1960's

I came across this photo recently thinking I could start a "Blast from the past!" feature - it's a photo taken at some point in the late 60's, early 70's... I haven't asked any of the featured players from the past as it might be as much fun for them as anyone else deciding who is who.

On the photograph are players from the past who might well be attending today's game - can you pick them out?

Graham Smart (regular), Ray Stanbridge (regular), David Hope (occasional) and

Pete Maskell (regular).

Also in the pic are friends, some of whom have left us and others I don't know... others might - most played for Walton United & Felixstowe Town at some point, so have a study and see who you can spot...

Others in the pic are Mel Chandler, John Jennings, Dave Godfrey, Mel Patterson, Jimmy Barlow, Ray (Honky) Studd, Kurt Hilpert.

One unknown - back row, standing next to Richard Cook...





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# ISTHMIAN NORTH DIVISION TABLE 2022/23

POS	HOME				AWAY				TOTAL							
	P	W	D	L	P	W	D	L	P	W	D	L	F	A	=/-	Pts
Lowestoft Town	3	3	0	0	4	4	0	0	7	7	0	0	23	3	+20	21
Grays Athletic	3	3	0	0	4	2	1	1	7	5	1	1	13	4	+9	16
<b>Felixstowe &amp; Walton United</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>+10</b>	<b>14</b>
Hashtag United	3	2	1	0	3	2	0	1	6	4	1	1	11	5	+6	13
Witham Town	3	2	0	1	3	2	0	1	6	4	0	2	13	7	+6	12
Bury Town	3	2	1	0	3	1	2	0	6	3	3	0	7	3	+4	12
Stowmarket Town	3	2	1	0	3	1	1	1	6	3	2	1	11	6	+5	11
Heybridge Swifts	2	2	0	0	3	1	2	0	5	3	2	0	9	4	+5	11
New Salamis	4	1	2	1	3	2	0	1	7	3	2	2	11	14	-3	11
AFC Sudbury	2	2	0	0	2	1	1	0	4	3	1	0	12	6	+6	10
Brentwood Town	4	2	1	1	4	1	0	3	8	3	1	4	9	10	-1	10
Basildon United	4	2	1	1	3	0	1	2	7	2	2	3	6	9	-3	8
Tilbury	4	0	2	2	3	2	0	1	7	2	2	3	7	11	-4	8
Great Waking Rovers	4	1	0	3	4	1	1	2	8	2	1	5	11	15	-4	7
Hullbridge Sports	2	1	0	1	5	1	1	3	7	2	1	4	7	12	-5	7
East Thurrock United	4	1	1	2	3	0	1	2	7	1	2	4	8	13	-5	5
Wroxham	4	0	3	1	3	0	0	3	7	0	3	4	6	15	-9	3
Coggeshall Town	3	0	1	2	3	0	1	2	6	0	2	4	1	10	-9	2
Maldon & Tiptree	4	0	0	4	3	0	0	3	7	0	0	7	3	16	-13	0
Gorleston	3	0	0	3	3	0	0	3	6	0	0	6	7	22	-15	0

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## ISTHMIAN LEAGUE NORTH DIVISION

**SATURDAY 8TH OCTOBER**  
**3PM KO**

Brentwood Town v Basildon United  
 Bury Town v East Thurrock United  
 Felixstowe & Walton Utd v Maldon & Tiptree  
 Great Waking Rovers v Coggeshall Town  
 Lowestoft Town v Tilbury



# FIRST TEAM FIXTURES 2022/23

## AUGUST

13	BRENTWOOD TOWN <i>Hitter</i>	A	D 1-1
16	GORLESTON <i>Warren, Harrison, Canfer</i>	H	W 3-2
20	DEREHAM TOWN*	A	L 2-0
27	BASILDON UNITED <i>Howell, Holland</i>	H	W 2-0
29	COGGESHALL TOWN <i>Aitkens, Harrison, Hitter</i>	A	W 3-1

## SEPTEMBER

13	BURGESS HILL TOWN** <i>Whight, Harrison</i> <i>Burgess Hill Town win 3-2 on pens</i>	H	D 2-2
17	NEW SALAMIS <i>Harrison 2, Canfer 3</i>	H	W 5-0
27	WITHAM TOWN*** <i>Holland 2, Maycock</i>	H	W 3-1

## OCTOBER

1	WROXHAM <i>Brown, Harrison</i>	A	D 2-2
8	MALDON & TIPTREE	H	3PM
11	CHERTSEY TOWN****	A	7.45PM
15	GRAYS ATHLETIC	A	3PM
22	HASHTAG UNITED	H	3PM
25	AFC SUDBURY	A	7.45PM
29	GREAT WAKERING ROVERS	H	3PM

## NOVEMBER

5	LOWESTOFT TOWN	A	3PM
12	TILBURY	H	3PM
19	HULLBRIDGE SPORTS	A	3PM
26	HEYBRIDGE SWIFTS	A	3PM

## DECEMBER

3	WITHAM TOWN	H	3PM
10	BURY TOWN	H	3PM
17	EAST THURROCK UNITED	A	3PM
27	COGGESHALL TOWN	H	1PM

## JANUARY

2	STOWMARKET TOWN	A	3PM
7	BRENTWOOD TOWN	H	3PM
14	GORLESTON	A	3PM
21	LOWESTOFT TOWN	H	3PM
28	TILBURY	A	3PM

## FEBRUARY

4	HULLBRIDGE SPORTS	H	3PM
11	GREAT WAKERING ROVERS	A	3PM
14	AFC SUDBURY	H	7.45PM
18	MALDON & TIPTREE	A	3PM
25	WROXHAM	H	3PM

## MARCH

4	NEW SALAMIS	A	3PM
11	GRAYS ATHLETIC	H	3PM
18	HASHTAG UNITED	A	3PM
25	BASILDON UNITED	A	3PM

## APRIL

1	EAST THURROCK UNITED	H	3PM
8	BURY TOWN	A	3PM
10	STOWMARKET TOWN	H	3PM
15	WITHAM TOWN	A	3PM
22	HEYBRIDGE SWIFTS	H	3PM

\*Emirates FA Cup Preliminary Round

\*\*Isuzu FA Trophy First Qualifying Round

\*\*\*Velocity Trophy First Round

\*\*\*Velocity Trophy Second Round



# MATCH PHOTOS

PHOTOS  
BY TOM  
BRADFORD

SATURDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> OCTOBER  
Isthmian North League

**Wroxham 2**

**Felixstowe & Walton Utd 2**

*Brown, Harrison*

## HOW WE LINED UP:

1. Callum Robinson
2. Callum Bennett
3. Stuart Ainsley
4. Billy Holland
5. Milo Grimes
6. Joe Whight
7. Joshua Hitter
8. Noel Aitkens
9. Zak Brown
10. Callum Harrison
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AS FA CUP draws go, there really is nothing like the fourth qualifying round.

Yes, the first round 'proper' (a word banned in NLP Towers), and third round draws will grab all the publicity but, for me, there isn't anything quite like the euphoria of the final qualifier before the 'big boys' come in.

Give the change of the Non-League landscape these last few years, I would argue that the Holy Grail for all FA Cup dreamers starts here – and this week's draw sure didn't disappoint.

Take Anstey Nomads for example. The lowest ranked club left in the competition as I write this, the Step 5 Nomads have progressed through five rounds to get to this stage for the first time in their history, culminating in a 5-0 victory over fellow minnows Shefford Town & Campton last weekend.

Their reward, a home tie with Chesterfield, second in the National League with average attendances of over 6,000 and FA Cup semi-finalists in 1996–97.

Who says the magic of the FA Cup only starts at round one?

And Nomads weren't the only ones to pick a dream tie in the live talkSPORT draw this week. Beckenham Town, riding high in Isthmian League South East having won promotion from Combined Counties South last week, were rewarded for their 5-3 success over Binfield with a visit of Dagenham & Redbridge to their modest Eden Park Avenue ground. What a scalp that could be?

Elsewhere, Coalville Town were handed a dream trip to Notts County's famous Meadow Lane stadium, steeped in FA Cup history,

Sevenoaks Town were given a short trip to National League South leaders and Kent rivals Ebbsfleet United and St Ives Town were pulled out a home tie against top-flight strugglers FC Halifax Town, no doubt dreaming of adding their names to the cup archives.

Underdogs Hanley Town, Stocksbridge Park Steels or Ashington and Clitheroe or Bury AFC – in their first FA Cup foray as a phoenix club – were also looking to continue the journey as this column went to press with Tuesday night replays – arguably the biggest games in their club's history.

One tie which will stand out to the FA Cup purist, however, is Blyth Spartans' visit of National League Wrexham.

You have to go back to 1977–78 to stumble across the history between these two sides and a fifth-round replay played at Newcastle United.

After a 1-1 draw in the initial tie at Wrexham, the replay was switched to a snowbound St James's Park and was watched by an official attendance of 42,187 – easily the biggest crowd of the season there and one which wouldn't be bettered for 22 years!

Wrexham won the replay 2-1 and went on to lose 3-2 to Arsenal in the quarter-finals that season.

These days, of course, the Dragons are owned by A-lister Ryan Reynolds and Rob McElhenney and have dreams of replicating such glory.

But in order for the Hollywood storyline to roll into action, they're going to have to rewrite history and get past old foes Blyth first. Lights, camera, action!

**By Jon Couch, The Non-League Paper**

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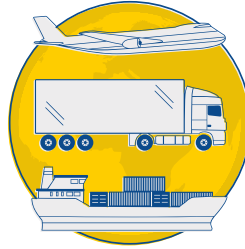
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# PITCHING IN ISTHMIAN LEAGUE NORTH ROUND UP

BY IAN TOWNSEND, TAKEN FROM WWW.ISTHMIAN.CO.UK

Six wins from six for Lowestoft, Grays up to second, and wins for Bury, Stow, Blues and Rovers



IMAGE: SHIRLEY WHITLOW

Leaders **Lowestoft Town** were smarting from their hammering at Wroxham in the FA Trophy last weekend, and **Witham Town's** previous fine start to the season came to an end as the Trawler Boys made it six wins from six in the League with a first half goal blitz. Kyle Haylock got them underway on four minutes, Jake Reed doubled their tally on thirteen, and when Adam Hipperson got a third midway through the half it looked as if a hammering could be on the cards, but at that point Witham awoke and kept the score semi-respectable.

We'd an Essex derby as **Tilbury** welcomed **Grays Athletic**, and the visitors made it six wins from their last seven matches in all competitions and moved up to second

place. Both goals came in the first half, and it was Athletic's usual deadly duo of Sam Bantick and Anointed Chukwu who got them.

**Wroxham**, who scored five against leaders Lowestoft last weekend, welcomed **Felixstowe & Walton United**. The Seasideers have been in fabulous form in the league and made the trip with an unbeaten record, whilst the Yachtsmen were still waiting for a first league win – and both of those statements remain true, but don't tell the story of the match. The visitors went ahead on eighteen minutes through Zak Brown, and although Matt Hayden levelled from the spot just after the break, Callum Harrison quickly restored the Seasideers lead. Robbie Linford's red card saw the Yachtsmen go down to ten men and seem down and out, but the opposite proved true, Brad Spooner grabbing a late equaliser.



IMAGE: THOMAS BRADFORD

**Bury Town** were on the road to Lowestoft, where they faced Gorleston. The 'hosts' are still looking for their first point of the campaign, as a goal in each half from Cemal Ramadan - both from the spot- sent Town up to sixth.

**New Salamis** welcomed **Heybridge Swifts**. Both were level on points as we kicked off, and that remains the case, after a two-two draw. The hosts were two up after just fifteen minutes, Derek Asamoah and Taufee Skandari with the goals, but after the break Swifts drew level, substitute Kieran Jones and Sam Carter with their goals. Swifts remain unbeaten but fall to eighth, with their hosts a place further back.

**Stowmarket Town** are six unbeaten across all competitions and made it seven points from nine against **Basildon United** with a two-nil victory. Both goals came rather late, Dylan Logan on seventy one minutes, Tevan Allen three minutes later. Stow are up to seventh.

**Coggeshall Town** played host to **Brentwood Town**, and the Seed Growers are still searching for their first league win of the campaign after the Blues scored the only goal of the game. George Craddock got it, four minutes before the break, and Town are up to eleventh.

**East Thurrock United** welcomed **Hullbridge Sports** and had Harry Hope to thank as they rescued a point late on. Darius Ghinea gave the visitors the lead after half an hour, but six minutes from time Hope got the equaliser. That's Harry's fifth of the season, and he has scored in his last three matches.

**Maldon & Tiptree's** miserable season continued as they welcomed **Great Wakering Rovers** and were too welcoming by half, conceding three first half goals. Eusebio Da Silva, Perry Dunn and Alex Hernandez got the goals, Rovers up to fourteenth, the Jammers rock bottom without a point.

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Lowestoft Town	W 2-1 v STOW..	W 2-1 v MALD..	W 4-0 v COGG..	W 3-0 v WROX..	W 3-0 v WITH..	W 6-1 v GORL..
Grays Athletic	W 2-0 v MALD..	W 3-0 v BREN..	L 2-1 v WITH..	W 3-2 v NEW..	W 2-0 v WROX..	W 2-0 v TILB..
F&W Utd	D 1-1 v BREN..	W 3-2 v GORL..	W 2-0 v BASI..	W 3-1 v COGG..	W 5-0 v NEW..	D 2-2 v WROX..
Hashtag Utd	L 1-0 v BURY..	W 2-1 v EAST..	D 1-1 v STOW..	W 3-1 v BREN..	W 3-1 v TILB..	W 2-0 v MALD..
Witham Town	W 4-1 v WROX..	L 1-0 v AFC..	W 3-1 v HULL..	W 2-1 v GRAY..	W 4-0 v GREA..	L 3-0 v LOWE..
Bury Town	W 1-0 v HASH..	D 0-0 v WROX..	D 1-1 v NEW..	D 2-2 v AFC..	W 1-0 v BASI..	W 2-0 v GORL..
Stowmarket Town	W 4-1 v HULL..	L 2-1 v LOWE..	D 1-1 v HASH..	W 1-0 v WROX..	D 2-2 v EAST..	W 2-0 v BASI..
Heybridge Swifts		D 1-1 v BASI..	W 2-0 v COGG..	W 2-0 v EAST..	W 2-1 v MALD..	D 2-2 v NEW..
AFC Sudbury			W 4-2 v EAST..	W 1-0 v WITH..	W 5-2 v GORL..	D 2-2 v BURY..
Brentwood Town	L 3-0 v GRAY..	L 3-1 v HASH..	W 3-0 v GORL..	L 1-0 v EAST..	W 3-1 v MALD..	W 1-0 v COGG..
New Salamis	W 1-0 v BREN..	D 1-1 v BURY..	W 2-1 v GREA..	L 5-0 v FELI..	L 3-2 v GRAY..	D 2-2 v HEYB..
Hullbridge Sports	L 3-1 v WITH..	L 1-0 v BASI..	L 3-0 v GREA..	W 3-0 v TILB..	W 1-0 v GREA..	D 1-1 v EAST..
Basildon Utd	D 2-2 v TILB..	L 2-0 v FELI..	W 1-0 v HULL..	L 1-0 v BURY..	W 2-1 v GREA..	L 2-0 v STOW..
Gt Wakering Rovers	L 2-1 v NEW..	W 3-0 v HULL..	L 4-0 v WITH..	L 2-1 v BASI..	L 1-0 v HULL..	W 3-0 v MALD..
East Thurrock Utd	L 2-1 v HASH..	L 2-0 v HEYB..	L 2-1 v TILB..	W 1-0 v BREN..	D 2-2 v STOW..	D 1-1 v HULL..
Tilbury	D 2-2 v BASI..	D 0-0 v COGG..	W 2-1 v EAST..	L 3-1 v HASH..	L 3-0 v HULL..	L 2-0 v GRAY..
Wroxham	D 0-0 v BURY..	D 3-3 v GREA..	L 1-0 v STOW..	L 3-0 v LOWE..	L 2-0 v GRAY..	D 2-2 v FELI..
Coggeshall Town	D 0-0 v GRAY..	L 2-0 v HEYB..	D 0-0 v TILB..	L 3-1 v FELI..	L 4-0 v LOWE..	L 1-0 v BREN..
Maldon & Tiptree	L 2-0 v GRAY..	L 2-1 v LOWE..	L 2-1 v HEYB..	L 2-0 v HASH..	L 3-1 v BREN..	L 3-0 v GREA..
Gorleston	L 3-2 v NEW..	L 3-2 v FELI..	L 5-2 v AFC..	L 3-0 v BREN..	L 2-0 v BURY..	L 6-1 v LOWE..




Callum Harrison 


Ollie Canfer 


Billy Holland 


Josh Hitter 


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12 BRIGHTLINGSEA REGENT A 7.45PM

17 BRENTWOOD TOWN H 7.45PM

31 BURY TOWN A 7.45PM

## NOVEMBER

16 HEYBRIDGE SWIFTS A 7.45PM

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28 BRIGHTLINGSEA REGENT H 7.45PM

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7 BRENTWOOD TOWN A 7.45PM

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## JANUARY

18 HEYBRIDGE SWIFTS A 7.45PM

23 BRIGHTLINGSEA REGENT H 7.45PM

## FEBRUARY

6 BURY TOWN H 7.45PM

15 BRENTWOOD TOWN A 7.45PM

20 HARINGEY BOROUGH H 7.45PM

## LEAGUE TABLE

TEAM	P	W	D	L	PTS
Bury Town	2	2	0	0	6
Heybridge Swifts	2	1	1	0	4
Brentwood Town	3	1	0	2	3
Haringey Borough	2	1	0	1	3
F&W Utd	2	1	0	1	3
Brightlingsea Regent	3	0	1	2	1

# BLACK HISTORY MONTH: WALTER TULL

BY MARTYN GREEN, THE UNTOLD GAME

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The first black footballer to play in English football, that we know of, did so in 1885, when Arthur Wharton took up a place between the sticks for Darlington. It shouldn't be much of a surprise, then, to find black players in the record throughout the history of the game. Thirty years later, when conflict broke out and football came to a halt, teams signed up together to go and fight in the trenches of France. And yet the story of Walter Tull, a footballer who became one of the county's first to sign up for military service, has gone largely unheralded in the century since he became a war hero.



Tull's life is a life of pioneering 'firsts'. He was born in Folkestone in 1888, three years after Arthur Wharton's debut, and was the grandson of a Barbadian slave, but when tragedy struck and both of his parents had

died by the age of eleven, he was sent to an orphanage in London, before being adopted by a Glaswegian family and moving north of the border. In his new home, he excelled both in sports and academia, becoming the country's first dentist of mixed heritage before embarking on his footballing career.

Heading back to London in 1908, Tull signed with amateur side Clapton FC, at the time a much fancied team who were considered to be one of the best in the amateur game, at a time when the amateur game was held in high regard. Considered the "catch of the season", he helped the side to the FA Amateur Cup, the London County Amateur Cup, and the London Senior Cup, and caught the eye of Tottenham Hotspur. They offered to take him on trial, on their tour of South America, where he became the first mixed heritage player to play on the continent, and impressed sufficiently to join the team for the following season.

Despite early promise, the level of racial abuse he received from opposition fans was so vitriolic that he was dropped to the reserves after just a few games. He wouldn't return to the first team for over a year, and in total managed just ten games for the side before the player and the club decided to cut their losses, and he was moved on, this time to a Northampton Town side that was developing under Herbert Chapman. It would be the move that made his career, and over the next three seasons he made 110 appearances for the side, scoring nine goals. Preparing for his fourth season in the summer of 1914, nobody could have guessed what was about to come. War was declared on the 1st August, and



despite some attempts to get the season going, the conflict soon engulfed every aspect of life. Footballers were not immune.

Tull signed up for the army in December 1914, less than a week after, and completely separately from, a meeting in London led by players of Clapton Orient to encourage the creation of a footballers' battalion. He started his training in Cranleigh, and was moved to various training camps before being sent to France, as part of that battalion. Rising fast through the ranks, less than a year had passed before he had made the rank of Sergeant.

In May 1916 he was sent home suffering from shellshock, but was returned to France in order to take place in fierce fighting at Delville Wood and Guillemont during the Battle of the Somme. The grim conditions took their toll, however, and by January 1917 he was again returned to Britain, this time with Trench Fever.

He made this time work for him, however, and joined a nearby Officer Training Corps. Despite huge opposition, he was promoted upon its completion to Second Lieutenant. He also secured his post-war future by agreeing a move to Rangers, upon the cessation of hostilities.

Sadly, Tull would never take up his position at Ibrox. Returned to France, he became the first black officer to lead British soldiers into battle, at the Third Battle of Ypres, and was recommended for the Military Cross. As the war began to draw to a close, however, his luck ran out. He died at Arras in March 1918, 2nd Lt. Tull, and his body was never recovered. His name can be found on the Arras memorial in France, just one of 35,000 who died. But his life was not "just one of", it was "the first of", right to the end.

Enjoy the game.

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■ □ □	Callum <b>Bennett</b>
■ □ □	Harry <b>Blackburn</b>
■ □ □	Zak <b>Brown</b>
■ □ □	George <b>Clarke</b>
■ □ □	Ollie <b>Canfer</b>
■ □ □	Sam <b>Ford</b>
■ □ □	Milo <b>Grimes</b>
■ □ □	Callum <b>Harrison</b>
■ □ □	Curtis <b>Haynes-Brown</b>
■ □ □	Josh <b>Hitter</b>
■ □ □	Billy <b>Holland (C)</b>
■ □ □	Lamel <b>Howell</b>
■ □ □	Harry <b>Knock</b>
■ □ □	Tom <b>Maycock</b>
■ □ □	Leon <b>Ottley-Gooch</b>
■ □ □	Rory <b>Porter</b>
■ □ □	Callum <b>Robinson (GK)</b>
■ □ □	Armani <b>Schaar</b>
■ □ □	Charlie <b>Warren</b>
■ □ □	Joe <b>Whight</b>

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■ □ □	Nathan <b>Brown</b>
■ □ □	Sam <b>Coombes</b>
■ □ □	Laste <b>Dombaxe</b>
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