



# Camberley Town V Epsom & Ewell 17th February 2024 1500 KO Combined Counties

**Premier Division South** 



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# Combined Counties

Premier Challenge Cup winners 2008–09, 2014–15

#### **Surrey Senior League**

Champions 1930–31, 1931–32, 1932–33 Charity Cup winners 1937–38, 195<u>1–52</u>

West Surrey League Champions 1913–14 Aldershot Senior Civilian League Champions 1912–13

#### Ascot & District League Champions 1904–05, 1907–08, 1908–09, 1909–10

Surrey Senior Cup Winners 1978–79 Surrey Junior Cup Winners 1897–98, 1909–10

#### Southern Combination Challenge Cup Winners 1980–81

#### Aldershot Senior Cup

Winners 1996–97, 1997–98, 2006–07, 2014–15, 2015–16, 2018-19

# **Management Mutterings**

Good afternoon everyone and welcome to Krooner Park for todays CCL match. A particular welcome to the Management, Players and officials ofour visitors from Epsom & Ewell here today.

Having not played a home game for three weeks before Tuesday, we find ourselves back here for the second time in 5 days. The goalless draw against a playoff chasing Knaphill was a really good result and a positive performance. After losing at Tooting a few days prior in what was a really disappointing performance, Tuesday was a massive improvement. We're strong at home and you only need to look at the stats to see that and it could've been even better had we taken one of a couple of really good chances we created or if the referee had seen the last minute penalty issue in the same way as the flag waving assistant! All in all a point against second in the league has to be a good one.

Todays game should be one we go in to with a little bit of confidence given our home record added to the fact we came away from the reverse fixture, just a few weeks ago, with a convincing 5-0 win. That game was a strange one as Epsom were nowhere near as bad as the scoreline would suggest. They created a fair number of good chances and could well have been in front before we scored our first. There's been a manager change and also lots of player changes since that game so they'll be a little bit of an unknown quantity this afternoon. Their recent results include a couple of narrow losses to both Farnham and Jersey so we'll need to be every bit as determined and disciplined as we were on Tuesday evening. There were some excellent individual performances in the week especially from the back line and a clean sheet was extremely welcome.

This is the first of 8 home games we have left before the end of the season so there's plenty of opportunities to build on our points tally. Saying that we do have some of the big hitters to play here at Krooner but there's no reason we can't take points from these games as well.

Somehow we've only 3 away games left to be played and the first of those is next Saturday at Jersey. It's always a good experience for us all to be flown over to the island and to be treated really well by the hosts but this year we're hoping to come back with some points and it's always appreciated to see a few supporters on the side of the pitch as well. Before that though we need to ensure we pick up maximum points today to build on the Knaphill result.

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# **Our History**

Founded | 1895 Nickname | 'The Krooners' Home Colours | Red & White Away Colours | Blue & White Ground | Krooner Park Capacity | 1,976 2022 - 2023 | 10th Combined Counties Premier South



The club was established in 1895 after a discussion at St Michael's church, and was originally named St Michael's Foot-ball Club, although they became known as St Michael's, Camberley. The first match, a friendly, was played on 16 October against D Company from the Royal Military College in nearby Sandhurst, St Michael's won 4–2. In January 1896 they joined the Surrey County Football Association, entering and winning the Surrey Junior Cup in 1897–98; the club's first competitive game was played on 16 October 1897, a Junior Cup first round match against Farncombe which St Michael's won 5–2. After winning the cup, the club joined the East & West Surrey League for the 1898–99 season.

In January 1901 a public meeting was held, at which it was decided to establish a new club that would absorb both St Michael's and Camberley Magpies. The name Camberley & Yorktown was adopted and the club took St Michael's place in the East & West Surrey League. However, they dropped into the Aldershot Combination in 1902, before switching to the Ascot & District League in 1903. The club finished as runners-up in their first season and went on to win the league in 1904–05. They were runners-up again in 1905–06, before winning a hat-trick of successive titles in 1907–08, 1908–09 and 1909–10, remaining unbeaten throughout the third of the title-winning seasons. The season also saw them win the Surrey Junior Cup for a second time, beating Sutton United 2–0 in the final. In 1910 Camberley & Yorktown returned to the East & West Surrey League, which had been renamed the West

Surrey League. In 1912–13 the club also entered the three-club Aldershot Senior Civilian League, which they won. They went on to win the West Surrey League the following season.

In 1922 Camberley & Yorktown were founder members of the Surrey Senior League. They won three successive titles in 1930 –31, 1931–32 and 1932–33 and were runners-up in 1938–39. After World War II the club was renamed Camberley, and were Surrey Senior League runners-up in 1946–47, before winning the league's Charity Cup in 1951–52 with a 4–3 win over Chertsey Town. The club were league runners-up again in 1961–62, and adopted their current name on 2 June 1967 after merging with former Parthenon League club

Camberley Wanderers. In 1973 they joined the Spartan League, but left to join Division Two of the Athenian League in 1975. In 1977 they switched to Division Two of the Isthmian League, and were promoted to Division One after finishing as Division Two runners-up in 1978–79. Two seasons later they were relegated, and after a single season back in Division Two, they rejoined the Athenian League, which now had a single division.

In 1983 Rick Wakeman became the club's chairman while he was living in Camberley. He remained in this post until 1986 when he was elected Vice-President, and left the club when he moved to the Isle of Man in 1988. In 1984 the Athenian League disbanded; Camberley rejoined the Isthmian League and were placed in Division Two South, where they remained until being placed in Division Three following league reorganisation in 1991. In 1998–99 the club reached the first round of the FA Cup for the first time. Drawn against away to Third Division Brentford, they lost 5–0. Division Three became Division Two in 2002, and Camberley remained members until the end of the 2005–06 season, when they dropped into the Premier Division of the Combined Counties League through the FA's re-structuring of non-league football. They were runners-up in the division in 2013–14 and 2014–15.

They came third in the 2015-16 season in the North division of the Combined counties league 2016-17 saw a sixth place finish and seventh the season after. 2018-19 saw a sixteenth place finish and with the 2019-20 season not finishing and the 2020-21 one not even starting due to covid, they started the 2021-22 season in the Combined Counties Premier Division South and Manager Luke Turkington oversaw a twelfth place finish on 44 points. 2022-23 Season was an improvement on the previous finishing tenth with 52 Points, with a fantastic run of 1 defeat in the last 14 league games of the season, that was at a time when games were coming thick and fast as the season had to be extended by 2 weeks to make up for the bad weather earlier in the campaign.

#### **GROUND**

In 1898 the club started playing at the new Recreation Ground on London Road, although they also used a pitch near Southwell Park Road when the Recreation Ground was unavailable and had moved there permanently by 1905. They played there until moving to Martin's Meadow in 1909. However, when the tenancy came to an end, the club returned to the Recreation Ground.

Since 1923 the club have played at Krooner Park on Wilton Road. The ground was paid for with the winnings of a horse named Krooner who won two races at Haydock Park Racecourse in 1920.

It was officially opened on 22 December 1923. Due to financial difficulties Krooner Park was sold back to the local council in 1939 with the council guaranteeing that the ground would be retained in perpetuity and that it would be rented to the football club, giving them priority whilst they remained in existence. In the mid-1960s the club asked thee council to leave Krooner Park and build a new ground at South- cote Park Farm, but the request was rejected due to the amount of engineering that would be required. Floodlights were installed at the ground in 1974, with the first floodlit match being a friendly against Crystal Palace on 14 October. The attendance at the match, which ended in a 1–1 draw, was around 3,100, a ground record. The highest confirmed attendance at Krooner Park was 2,066 when the newly-formed Aldershot Town visited for an Isthmian League Division Three match on 10 November 1992.









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<u>Next 1st Team Fixtures</u> 17th February HOME Epsom & Ewell 24th February AWAY Jersey Bulls 5th March HOME Redhill 9th March HOME Farnham 12th March HOME AFC Croydon 16th March AWAY Colliers Wood United

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#### From the editor

I'd like to wish you all a warm welcome to Krooner park for todays match against Epsom & Ewell. I'd especially like to welcome the players, management, committee and supporters here today.

Was only a few weeks ago we visited todays opponents at there temporary home on the Leg 'o' Mutton Field (got to be one of the best names in Football that one ) We put on one of our best displays of the season that day and came out deserving 5-0 winners, could have been more if it wasn't for the ball bouncing back off of the post support inside the goal and the ref thinking it hit the post instead.

On Tuesday night we saw what I thought was one of the best 0-0 games I've seen in a while, and although we picked up a point against a good Knaphill side I don't think even they would have been overly disappointed had we picked up all 3.

This time next week we will be over in Jersey for our game against the Bulls, hopefully 1 or 2 of you can make it and enjoy your weekend out there. The players and management are looking forward to it as it is a great opportunity for team bonding after the game, getting a win will make that feel so much better.

We hope you enjoy the game and you have a safe trip home.

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# 2023 - 2024

AUGUST							
05/08/2023	Lydd Town	Away	1500	FA Cup Extra prelm Rd	Lost	1-0	
12/08/2023	Abbey Rangers	Away	1500	CCL	Drew	0-0	
15/08/2023	Tadley Calleva	Away	1945	CCL	Postponed		Tadley in Hants Cup
19/08/2023	Sandhurst Town	Away	1500	CCL	Drew	2-2	Anokye '10, Mead '65
22/08/2023	Alton	Home	1945	CCL	Postponed		Alton in Hants Cup
26/08/2023	Fisher FC	Home	1500	FA Vase 1st Quali Rd	Lost	1-0	
28/08/2023	Fleet Town	Away	1130	CCL	Won	3-1	Assis '45, Mead '47, Jones '90+8
SEPTEMBER							
02/09/2023	Epsom & Ewell	Away	1500	CCL	Postponed		Epsom in FA Cup
09/09/2023	Colliers Wood	Home	1500	CCL	Won	1-0	Anokye '46
16/09/2023	AFC Croydon Athletic	Away	1500	CCL	Lost	3-1	Taylor '61
23/09/2023	Redhill	Away	1500		Lost	4-1	Oakley '3
26/09/2023	Yateley United	Away		CCLPC	Won	4-2	Taylor '37, '45+3, '47(p), Jones '79
30/09/2023	Jersey Bulls	Home		CCL	Lost	3-0	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
OCTOBER							
07/10/2023	Horley Town	Away	1500	CCL	Lost	4-3	Anokye '19,'61 Saturnino '71
10/10/2023	Aldershot Town U21	Home		ASC	Lost	2-1	Selby '44
14/10/2023	Spelthorne Sports	Home	1500		Drew	0-0	NT DOAT AND AND AN
17/10/2023	Horsley FC	Home		South Comb Cup	Won	2-0	Freeman '29, Taylor '73
21/10/2023	Tooting & Mitcham	Home		CCL	Lost	4-1	OG '13
28/10/2023	Tadley Calleva	Away	1500		Lost	4-2	Atkinson 33' Anokye 73'
31/10/2023	Westfield	Away		Surrey CC	Lost	3-0	,
NOVEMBER				<b>,</b>			
04/11/2023	Guildford City	Home	1400	CCL	Won	2-1	Whitehead '13, Spicer '90+4
11/11/2023	Knaphill	Away		CCL	Lost	4-0	
18/11/2023	Horley Town	Home		CCL	Won	2-0	Taylor '59, '61
25/11/2023	Spelthorne Sports	Away		CCL	Drew	2-2	Anokye '17, Whitehead 36'
28/11/2023	Cobham	Away		CCL	Lost	3-2	Anokye '36, Taylor '50
DECEMBER						110000	
02/12/2023	Sandhurst Town	Home	1400	CCL	Won	5-0	Taylor '21, Hitch '61,'79,Whitehead '77, Anokye '90+1
09/12/2023	Sheerwater	Away	1500	CCL	Drew	1-1	Anokye '72
12/12/2023	Bedfont Sports	Away	1945	CCLPC	Drew	1-1	OG '44 ( Lost 4-2 on Penalties )
16/12/2023	Fleet Town	Home	1400	CCL	Won	1-0	Passfield '90
23/12/2023	Farnham Town	Away	1300	CCL	Lost	4-0	
30/12/2023	Cobham	Home	1400	CCL	Lost	2-1	Whitehead '4 (p)
JANUARY							
06/01/2024	Epsom & Ewell	Away	1500	CCL	Won	5-0	Hitch '10, Taylor '12, Jones '26, Vangrove '70, Wensley '80
13/01/2024	Balham	Away	1500	CCL	Lost	<mark>1-0</mark>	
27/01/2024	Sheerwater	Home	1500	CCL	Drew	2-2	Taylor '9, '71 (p)
FEBRUARY							
03/02/2024	Guildford City	Away	1500	CCL	Won	3-2	Vangrove '8, Anokye '44, Jones '52
10/02/2024	Tooting & Mitcham	Away	1500	CCL	Lost	2-1	Anokye '66
13/02/2024	Knaphill	Home	1945	CCL	Drew	0-0	
17/02/2024	Epsom & Ewell	Home	1500	CCL			
24/02/2024	Jersey Bulls	Away	1500	CCL			
MARCH							
05/03/2024	Redhill	Home	1945	CCL			
09/03/2024	Farnham Town	Home	1400	CCL			
12/03/2024	AFC Croydon Athletic	Home	1945	CCL			
16/03/2024	Colliers Wood United	Away	1500	CCL			
23/03/2024	Alton	Home	1500	CCL			
30/03/2024	Tadley Calleva	Home	1500	CCL			
APRIL							
13/04/2023	Abbey Rangers	Home	1500	CCL			
20/04/2023	Balham	Home	1500	CCL			
27/04/2023	Alton	Away	1500	CCL			

Recent Results PREMIER DIVISION SOUTH

7-2-24 Balham 2-2 Fleet Town

<u>10-2-24</u>

Abbey Rangers 2-3 Knaphill AFC Croydon 5-2 Epsom & Ewell Alton Town 2-0 Sheerwater Redhill 5-2 Horley Town Sandhurst Town 1-0 Spelthorne

#### <u>13-2-24</u>

Epsom & Ewell 0-2 Farnham Town Fleet Town 3-3 Alton Town Horley Town P-P AFC Croydon Tooting & Mitcham 2-1 Cobham <u>14-2-24</u> Balham v-v Redhill

<u>17-2-24</u>

Abbey Rangers v-v Tooting & Mitcham Alton v-v Horley Town Balham v-v Sheerwater Cobham v-v Fleet town Colliers Wood v-v Farnham Town Knaphill v-v Jersey Bulls Redhill v-v Guildford City Tadley Calleva v-v AFC Croydon

# League Table (2023-24)

Pos	Team	Р	w	D	L	GD	PTS
1	Farnham Town	22	22	0	0	74	66
2	Knaphill	25	16	6	3	34	54
3	Abbey Rangers	26	15	3	8	7	48
4	Jersey Bulls	23	14	5	4	28	47
5	AFC Croydon Athletic	23	14	3	6	21	45
6	Alton	26	13	5	8	11	44
7	Balham	25	13	3	9	-2	42
8	Redhill	22	12	3	7	23	39
9	Sandhurst Town	28	11	4	13	-8	37
10	Fleet Town	25	11	3	11	3	36
11	Tooting & Mitcham United	25	11	3	11	0	36
12	Tadley Calleva	20	12	0	8	0	36
13	Camberley Town	27	8	7	12	-8	31
14	Horley Town	24	7	6	11	-3	27
15	Cobham	24	6	7	11	-7	25
16	Spelthorne Sports	26	6	6	14	-22	24
17	Guildford City	26	7	3	16	-28	24
18	Sheerwater	28	5	3	20	-54	18
19	Epsom & Ewell	27	5	2	20	-33	17
20	Colliers Wood United	26	3	4	19	-36	13



Formed : 1918 Home Ground : The Reg Madgwick Stadium Last Season : 2nd Southern Combination Division 1



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In September 1925, the club relocated to the old Ewell F.C. ground at West Street, which was purchased through the generosity of our future President, Robert Bradshaw. In 1925/26, the Championship of the Surrey Senior League was attained, and the following season, we defeated Egham 1-0 at Egham in the League Charity Cup to complete a League and Cup "double". Election to the London League followed, and the title was claimed in the first attempt in 1927/28. Unfortunately, we were unable to repeat this, instead of finishing runners-up in 1931/32, 1932/33, 1934/35, 1936/37 and 1937/38. Cup Honours were limited, although, in 1929, Redhill defeated us 3-2 in front of 4,600 at Guildford in our first Surrey Senior Cup Final, having seen off Wimbledon 4-1 in the semi-final!

The thirties were a very successful era, and we won the Surrey Charity (Senior) Shield in 1933 with an impressive 5-0 win over Woking at Kingfield. However, the proudest moment of our pre-war history was an appearance in the First Round Proper of the F.A.Cup in 1933/34. Woking (after a replay), Nunhead, Tooting & Mitcham, Beddington Corner, and Leytonstone were defeated, and a crowd of 9,485 at the Lea Bridge Speedway Stadium witnessed a 4-2 loss against the hosts Clapton Orient. At the end of that season, we changed our name to Epsom F.C.

In 1939 a newly formed team, Epsom Town (no connection to the earlier name), shared the ground with Epsom F.C. However, this arrangement was suspended when war was declared, and we folded for the duration. In the meantime, Club Chairman Charles Pettett threw in his lot with Epsom Town in an attempt to boost morale by keeping the football flag flying. It was successful, as that club competed continuously throughout the war years, winning the Surrey Combination in 1939/40 and reaching the Surrey Senior Cup Final in 1944, losing 3-1 to Tooting & Mitcham at Sandy Lane. After the war, Epsom F.C. restarted, continuing in the London League and reclaimed West Street. Temporary homes were found for Epsom Town while they competed for a season in the newly created Corinthian League but disbanded in 1946.

In 1949 we entered the Corinthian League ourselves, wherein in 1952, we reached the League Memorial Shield Final 1952, going down 2-1 to Champions Hounslow at Eastbourne after leading at halftime. Things improved further with the signing of the former English Amateur International Pat Lynch from Hendon, finishing third in 1952/53, while in 1954, we reached the Surrey Senior Cup Final for the second time in our history, losing unluckily 2-0 to Corinthian-Casuals in front of 6,159 at Selhurst Park. In 1955 we won the Surrey Senior Shield with a 1-0 win over Carshalton Athletic at West Street.



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The thirties were a very successful era, and we won the Surrey Charity (Senior) Shield in 1933 with an impressive 5-0 win over Woking at Kingfield. However, the proudest moment of our pre-war history was an appearance in the First Round Proper of the F.A.Cup in 1933/34. Woking (after a replay), Nunhead, Tooting & Mitcham, Beddington Corner, and Leytonstone were defeated, and a crowd of 9,485 at the Lea Bridge Speedway Stadium witnessed a 4-2 loss against the hosts Clapton Orient. At the end of that season, we changed our name to Epsom F.C.

In 1939 a newly formed team, Epsom Town (no connection to the earlier name), shared the ground with Epsom F.C. However, this arrangement was suspended when war was declared, and we folded for the duration. In the meantime, Club Chairman Charles Pettett threw in his lot with Epsom Town in an attempt to boost morale by keeping the football flag flying. It was successful, as that club competed continuously throughout the war years, winning the Surrey Combination in 1939/40 and reaching the Surrey Senior Cup Final in 1944, losing 3-1 to Tooting & Mitcham at Sandy Lane. After the war, Epsom F.C. restarted, continuing in the London League and reclaimed West Street. Temporary homes were found for Epsom Town while they competed for a season in the newly created Corinthian League but disbanded in 1946.



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In 1949 we entered the Corinthian League ourselves, wherein in 1952, we reached the League Memorial Shield Final 1952, going down 2-1 to Champions Hounslow at Eastbourne after leading at halftime. Things improved further with the signing of the former English Amateur International Pat Lynch from Hendon, finishing third in 1952/53, while in 1954, we reached the Surrey Senior Cup Final for the second time in our history, losing unluckily 2-0 to Corinthian-Casuals in front of 6,159 at Selhurst Park. In 1955 we won the Surrey Senior Shield with a 1-0 win over Carshalton Athletic at West Street.

We appointed our first-ever Manager, Kingstonian legend Doug Whitehead in 1955, and the Corinthian League double was almost achieved in 1956/57, but two losses in the final week, along with a 2-0 defeat in the Cup Final to Maidenhead United at Dorking ensured that we ended with neither, finishing fourth. However, in 1960, we finally raised the Shield with a 2-0 revenge win over Maidenhead at Vale Farm, home of Wembley F.C.

In 1960 we changed our name once again to Epsom & Ewell F.C. This was not because of any merger with Ewell & Stoneleigh as is often quoted, but was an attempt to increase support across the whole of the Borough. In 1963 the Corinthian League merged with the Athenian and Delphian Leagues, and we were placed in Division One of the new structure, but the sixties were full of poor results, and we were relegated in 1965.

Despite a string of managers, most notably ex-Leyton Orient winger Jimmy Smith and Tony Williams, now famous for his creation of the F.A. Yearbooks, our fortunes did not improve significantly and further relegations were avoided in the early seventies by the benefit of re-election. However, in 1973, despite "improving" to finish second from bottom, the Athenian League ran out of patience and cut us loose. This was unfortunate timing as we had just cleared all of our debts and in addition to a virtually new Committee, former Fulham player Pat O'Connell had taken over as Manager.

The Surrey Senior League took us in at the last minute, and the new squad, including young striker Tommy Tuite, won the League Cup, and the following season, 1974/75, achieved a second Surrey Senior League "double". However, the season would always be remembered for reaching the Final of the inaugural F.A. Vase, where 9,500 saw the Blues edged out 2-1 by Hoddesdon Town at Wembley Stadium. The Athenian League welcomed us back, and promotion was achieved in that first season. In 1976/77, we reached the Athenian League Cup Final, losing 1-0 at Chalfont St Peter.

By then, we knew that we had been invited to join the expanding Isthmian League for 1977/78 and were placed in the new Division Two. Our first match under floodlights took place against Met Police in August 1977, and the title was clinched the following April, securing a move to Division One. In 1979/80, we won the Southern Combination Cup 7-2 over Hampton on their pitch, where the opposition was blitzed by five goals from Tuite. The following season a new clubhouse opened at West Street, and we finally won the Surrey Senior Cup in 1981, defeating Woking 2-1 at Tooting & Mitcham, although we just missed out on promotion. O'Connell resigned in 1982, being replaced by Adrian Hill and in 1983/84, we clinched a spot in the Premier Division as runners-up, although this time we missed out in the Surrey Senior Cup, defeated 4-0 by Sutton United in the Final at Imber Court.



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We survived comfortably in our first season at the Isthmian Premier, but Hill's departure to Croydon in 1985 started a decline. Much of the squad left with Hill, and new Manager Alan Webb had too much to do. We were relegated in 1986 and also in 1987, now under the Management of Ricky Kidd. Adrian Hill replaced Kidd for a second spell at the helm in 1990, but we were placed in the new Division Three in 1991 in league reorganisation following a finish one position below the required halfway mark.

In 1993 a large chapter in our history ended as we left West Street and moved in as tenants of Banstead Athletic. The decade was largely one of frustration, although we did reach the Final of the Associate Members Trophy in 1998, losing 2-0 to Bedford Town at Hendon's old Claremont Road ground.

In 2002 Adrian Hill took us back up to the newly created Division 1 South, where we topped the table for a month, eventually finishing 9th, but Hill's retirement at the end of the season led to relegation a year later, and then in 2006 we were transferred into the Combined Counties League Premier Division. In October 2006, Lyndon Buckwell, a former player, became our new Manager, and in his first full season (2007/08), we were back in the top ten. In 2008/09, we exceeded this achievement and finished in fourth place after heading the table for a few months. In 2009/10, the club recovered from a slow start to finish fifth and also reached the last 32 of the F.A.Vase for the first time in 21 years, bowing out 3-2 in Northamptonshire to Long Buckby. In April of 2010, we terminated our seventeen-year ground-sharing agreement with Banstead Athletic and spent two unspectacular seasons at Merstham F.C. before relocating to High Road, home of Chipstead F.C., for the 2012/13 season, where we would spend eight seasons.

The season brought significant playing success as a slow start was followed by a spectacular run of form, including a club record of 12 straight league wins, which put us at the top of the table for over a month before a tricky run-in resulted in a final position of fifth. However, any disappointment there was tempered by the club's first silverware since 1981 when we defeated South Park 3-0 at Farnborough to win the Combined Counties League Cup. On a sadder note, 2012/13 also marked one thousand games since we left West Street.

We carried our form into 2013/14 and led the league with eight straight wins, but we couldn't hold on and had to settle for third place, our highest league finish since 1984, but the following September, Lyndon Buckwell departed, and Glyn Mandeville and new Assistant Matt Smith steered the club to seventh place and improved this to fourth in 2015/16.

In the summer of 2016, our club visited France and played a friendly against our twin town Chantilly, which was where the England team had been based before their Euro 2016 campaign. The players were able to meet Roy Hodgson and Gary Neville and performed admirably as ambassadors for our town.

In 2016/17, we started the season with an incredible 9-2 win at newly-promoted Bedfont & despite trailing 2-0 at halftime, and went on to repeat our fourth-place finish in the League. In addition, we reached the League Cup Final but were defeated 4-1 by Westfield at Windsor FC.



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However, in the summer of 2017, we suffered a large player exodus, with a substantial number joining local rivals Sutton Common Rovers. Glyn was unable to replace them with enough players of real quality, and three-quarters of the season was spent at the foot of the table. His resignation in January 2018 led to the club promoting our Coach Neil Grant to Manager's role, and although he managed to get us off the foot of the table, relegation was always likely and was confirmed in mid-April; not a great way to celebrate our Centenary!

The attempts at bouncing straight back did not start particularly well, and Grant departed in October. He was replaced by Simon Funnell, who stepped up from his Assistant role and took us to the Division One League Cup Final at Meadowbank. Unfortunately, the new season of 2019/20 started poorly, and Funnell resigned at Christmas.

In the 2020/21 season, we commenced with another ground move, this time to Leatherhead's Fetcham Grove ground, although another seasonal curtailment left us in seventh place, and we remained at Step Six, being transferred to the Southern Combination for the new season.

In August 2021, Sam Morgan was relieved of his duties after a slow start to the season. Barry Gartell was placed in interim charge.

Darren Anslow was appointed as our new manager in September 2021 and was immediately impressed with a comfortable 4-0 win against Mile Oak in the FA Vase 2nd Round Qualifying. The following weekend would see us travel to Billingshurst in one of the only matches being played due to torrential rain. A few days after the game, which ended 4-3 for the home side, Darren Anslow resigned from his post.

Clive Gartell and Alex Penfold then took charge of the next eight games with only one defeat in the FA Vase, coming against British Airways. Clive then stepped down after the Dorkinians Surrey Premier Cup game, and Jamie Byatt stepped up as joint interim manager with Alex Penfold.

Three games later, after an unsavoury incident occurred at Dorking Wanderers, subsequently Alex Penfold was let go from the club Jamie Byatt was then put in sole charge until the end of the season. The club ended up finishing sixth in the league, making the playoffs but unfortunately lost 2-1 to Midhurst & Easebourne in the semi-final.

Byatt departed in early May, being replaced by the long-serving Horley Town Manager Anthony Jupp and former Croydon Manager Liam Giles as Joint Managers, but Giles would return to Croydon in November.

We started the season well but gradually fell behind leader Shoreham and had to settle for second place. However, a penalty win over Selsey followed by a 2-1 win over Wick were enough to clinch promotion back to the Combined Counties League after five long years away. However, Jupp resigned, and his Assistant Matt Chapman followed at the end of the season, so the club appointed James Scott as our new Manager for the 2023/24 campaign. James departed the club in October 2023, and Steve Springett was appointed the position on an interim basis.

# CAN YOU HELP?

As a local community football club we are in need of help and are asking for support from local business leaders to get through this challenging time for grassroots sport. Below are a number of sponsorship packages that we have drawn up, as we aim to raise funds to get us through the season. Can you help?

#### Match Sponsorship

As match sponsor the business will receive 4 complimentary tickets to the game and will receive Tea or Coffee in the hospitality area. Along with this; the businesses logo will be placed on all match day social media adverts and the company will receive a special shout out on our social media outlets directing all of our followers to their service. Finally the Sponsor will receive a full colour page advert in our E-Programme.

FA CUP / FA VASE - £150.00

#### 1st Team - £100.00 U18 - £50.00



#### Match Ball Sponsorship

As match ball sponsor the business will receive 2 complimentary tickets to the game and will receive Tea or Coffee in the hospitality area. The company will receive a special

shout out on our social media outlets directing all of our followers to their service. Finally the Sponsor will receive a half page colour advert in our E-Programme.

#### 1st Team - £50.00 U18 - £25.00

#### Man of the Match

As the Man of the Match Sponsor, the company representatives will choose and present the Man of the Match award post match with the photos being used on our social media platforms. In addition the business will receive 2 complimentary tickets to the game and will receive Tea or Coffee in the hospitality area. The company will receive a special shout out on our social media outlets directing all of our followers to their service. Finally the Sponsor will receive a half page colour advert in our E-Programme.

## KNIGH

Help the club provide all of the kit and equipment that it requires in the season by sponsoring a player. Have the players photo placed above the bar along with your company logo. Get a special media shoutout every time that your player makes a big in game contribution or wins an award. Meet your player at an arranged sponsors evening.

U18 - £30.00

#### All Players - £50.00

1st Team - £50.00

Player Sponsorship

#### Pitch Side Advertising

Purchase a pitch side advertising board or banner which will be displayed at Krooner Park for the course of 1 year. This is a great way to advertise your business as during the 2023-24 season we expect to have over 15,000 visitors to Krooner Park.

#### Advertising Board - £250.00 Banner - £100.00

Email the club at info@camberleytownfc.co.uk to make the arrangements to fix your sponsorship



# Appearances 2023/24

	Starts	Sub On	Total	Goals	Yellow	Y/R	Sin Bin	Red
Kingsley Anokye	21	11	32	11	1	0	0	0
Cavan Atkinson	26	5	31	1	5	0	0	0
Will Shaw	26	5	31	0	4	0	0	0
Stan Jones	21	8	29	4	0	0	0	0
Luke Benton	22	5	27	0	1	0	0	0
Sam Whitehead	25	1	26	4	4	0	0	0
Brad Passfield	24	0	24	1	1	0	2	0
Mason Taylor	22	2	24	12	8	0	2	0
Ellis McLean	16	6	22	0	2	0	0	0
Regan Hitch	19	1	20	3	4	0	0	0
Tom Wensley	17	3	20	1	1	0	0	0
Brandon Vangrove	12	8	20	2	2	0	0	0
Aaron Mead	17	1	18	2	4	0	0	0
Jacob Wheeler	12	3	15	0	4	1	0	0
Steve Lee	11	2	13	0	1	0	0	0
Bobby Hyland	4	8	12	0	0	0	0	0
Kai Zini	8	3	11	0	1	0	0	0
Charlie Oakley	7	3	10	1	0	0	0	0
Webeley Assis	5	4	9	1	2	0	0	0
Jadyn Dundas	5	4	9	0	0	0	0	0
Miles Davis	3	5	8	0	0	0	0	0
Jack Selby	2	6	8	1	0	0	0	0
Max West	6	0	6	0	1	0	0	0
Leo Spicer	4	2	6	1	1	0	0	0
Louis Lindsay	1	5	6	0	0	0	0	0
Owen Crawford	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0
Ross Ewen	3	1	4	0	0	0	0	0
Olly Manning	1	3	4	0	0	0	0	0
MacKenzie Clayton	0	4	4	0	0	0	0	0
Enrico Saturnino	1	2	3	1	0	0	0	0
Abdul Samad	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0
Hayden Stedman	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0
James Hughes	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
Ellis Rowland	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
Mikey Milchev Szczepaniak	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
James Wells	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Stan Pickup	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ollie West	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0

#### On this Day 17th February

- 1934 Camberley & Yorktown 1-9 Walton-on-Thames
- 1951 Camberley 1-1 Chertsey Town
- 1962 Farnham Town 1-4Camberley
- 1968 Godalming & Farncombe 3-4 Camberley Town
- 2007 Camberley Town 1-0 Merstham
- 2018 Camberley Town 3-1 Spelthorne Sports

1938 1st public experimental demonstration of Baird color TV (London)

1953 DSB football team forms in Eindhoven (now PSV Eindhoven), Netherlands

1972 British Parliament votes to join the European Common Market



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# TodaysSquadsCamberleyEpsom &TownEwellKingsley AnokyeMurisiku Adebayo Batuja

Cavan Atkinson Luke Benton Mackenzie Clayton Owen Crawford (GK) OW. Jadyn Dundas **Regan Hitch** James Hughes Stan Jones Steve Lee Louis Lindsay **Olly Manning** Ellis McLean Aaron Mead Mikey Milchev Szczepaniak **Daniel Munongo Brad Passfield** Stan Pickup **Ellis Rowland** Jack Selby Will Shaw Leo Spicer Hayden Stedman Mason Taylor **Brandon Vangrove James Wells Tom Wensley** Jacob Wheeler Sam Whitehead

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Murisiku Adebayo Batuia **Thompson Adeyemi Ben Amissah** Jerry Antwi **Ben Bauchop** Conor Beattie (GK) Musa Beegun **Kivo Brown** Ethan Charles Brazier Toby Colwell (GK) **Rory Edwards** Louis Elsom Tijani Eshilokum Avran Kugathas Luke Miller Sirak Negassi Ethan Nelson Roberts Carl Oblitey Lewis Pearch EPSO Zach Powell Mekhi Savage Reggie Savage **Reece Tierney** Nick Wilson



Warren Burton Interim Manager Gwynne Berry Coach Kevin Espinosa Goalkeeping Coach Alfie Wylid Physio

Referee :-Assistant Referee :-Assistant Referee :- Tom Lathey Ian Kitchen Grayham Henry