



SUSSEX SUNDAY FOOTBALL LEAGUE CUP FINAL PROGRAMME



SOMPTING & WORTHING WANDERERS VS WEST SUSSEX WANDERERS

**VIC BETTNEY TROPHY FINAL
IN MEMORY OF IAN DEAN**

**WEDNESDAY 16 APRIL 2025
@ LANCING FC
19:30 KO**





JOIN THE EXCITEMENT! YOUR FOOTBALL JOURNEY AWAITS!

Whether you're a seasoned player or just starting out, our football league is calling on players of all ages and skill levels to join! From beginners to seasoned veterans, we believe that football is for everyone.

Why Join Us?

- Fun, Competitive Matches: Play with people of all skill levels in a supportive environment.
- Flexible Leagues: With divisions for all ages, there's a team for everyone.
- Fitness & Social Fun: Stay active and meet new friends while doing what you love.

Who Can Join?

- Adult Leagues: All skill levels welcome!
- Veteran's Divisions: For those 35 and over – age is just a number
- Masters Division: For those 45 and over – age is just a number!

What to Expect:

- Weekly games
- Cup competitions
- A positive and welcoming atmosphere
- All skill levels welcome!

So, what are you waiting for? Get in the game and be part of the most exciting football league around!

Sign up today at sussexsundayfootballleague.co.uk
or call 07904 780370 to reserve your spot!

SUSSEX SUNDAY FOOTBALL LEAGUE

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WELCOME

TO LANCING FC

Good evening and welcome to Lancing Football Club as Cup Final season continues!

Tonight we have the Vic Bettney Trophy, in memory of Ian Dean, where Sompting & Worthing Wanderers face West Sussex Wanderers.

For those of you who knew Deano or just met him briefly he was the kind of guy that would offer to pick you up when you lived 10 miles away and the venue was his back garden, but knowing that he wanted you to take part or that you potentially had trouble at home and needed to get away - it was his ambition to then get everybody playing sport whether it be rugby or football and nobody was better than the other person and his wonderful trait was inclusion never exclusion.

From the very best most gifted Sports person to the guy that would always be picked last at school, everybody played under him and everybody respected him and everybody loved him so tonight in his memory we hope for a fantastic game between two teams that are no strangers to scoring goals.

Sompting will be very keen to achieve some silverware from a season at one point promised the treble and the same goes for Wanderers who certain points this season could've won the quadruple.

We wish both teams the very best of luck and thank our match officials for giving up their time tonight.

Please also take the time to check our fantastic official photographer Steve Mills and his website for potential bookings and future engagements.

Enjoy tonight's game and make use of the facilities.

Greg Austin
Chairman



SOMPTING & WORTHING WANDERERS

Formed: 2024

X: @WWbmy

ROUTE TO THE FINAL

Round One

Hassocks Fatboys 1-4 Sompting & Worthing Wanderers

Goals: Jones, Ettridge, Gilbert 2

Round Two

B Town Reserves 3-3 Sompting & Worthing Wanderers

Goals: Halsey, Samuda, Willis

Quarter-Final

The Village 4-4 Sompting & Worthing Wanderers (2-3)

Goals: Halsey 2, Hall, Ettridge

Semi-Final

Seaford Athletic 0-2 Sompting & Worthing Wanderers

Goals: Gilbert 2





MEET THE PLAYERS

Todd Roberts

Goalkeeper

Our keeper and team sparks, missed part of the season due to a wrist injury but glad to have him back for the final. Great shot stopper, solid keeper and loves a wind up.

Philip Ingold

Centre back & Captain

Team captain and quality defender, reliable and hardly ever loses a header, very partial to a Cruyff turn and has a left wand of a left foot.

Thabani Thab Mbambo

Centre back.

He may not be the tallest of defenders but he wins the majority of his aerial battles and much quicker than he looks, lives a 50/50 challenge and always looking to be the better twin.

Nicholas Shorty Smith

Full back.

Never judge a book by its cover, despite his smaller stature he is a colossus in the tackle and a terrier around the ball. Fantastic engine and doesn't stop running. Also very grateful of his sponsorship of the club.

Luke Hendy

Full back & Centre mid.

Classy composed Rolls Royce of the team, plays many positions and a nature baller. Very rarely beaten in a 50/50 and another with a fantastic engine and great future.

Richard Dickie Wheatley

Midfielder

The statesman of the club and respected by all, excellent attitude and battles for every ball. Never gives less than 100% and an

excellent role model for the younger players. Just a shame he's a hammers fan.

Liam Hall

Centre Midfielder

Another who loves a tackle and leaves everything on the pitch. Always shaking off injuries to play for the team. Probably scored the best goal I've seen and definitely goal of the season. Great person and has time for everyone, true gentleman.

Chris Pease

Defensive Midfielder

Another player who loves a header and rarely beaten in the air. Converted from centre back to Cdm this season and has been amazing. His reading of the game and communication is vital to the team. Just don't mention his temu boots.

Robert Rob Hall

Midfielder

Great engine, excellent work rate and an eye for the goal but seems to get more than his share of yellows. Probably slept through his alarm clock too many times this season but mustard when on the pitch.

Dean Ettridge

Midfielder

Silky midfielder with great feet and another that can score goals. Just wish we could keep him fit, he's a massive bonus when he's playing. Glad to see him fit for the final another baller.

Dan Halsey

Winger

Great attitude, willingness to learn and improve further. Top goal scorer this season and well

deserved. Excellent on one to ones and delivers a wicked cross into the box.

Jegan JJ Jathusan

Winger

A late addition to the squad this season and well, JJ's pace is frightening and not too many can keep up with him on the wing. He also has a good eye for goal and another with an excellent engine and work rate. Great addition to the squad.

Martin Gilbert

Striker

The joker and wind up merchant of the squad, loves the banter on game day. Big striker that loves a battle with the opposition centre back, with an eye for goal and seasoned goal scorer. Loves a headed goal from a corner.

Mthokozisi Tick Mbambo

Striker.

Tap in Tick always in the right place at the right time to put the ball in the net. Loves a one to one with the keeper too. But who is the faster twin?

Roman Hardie

Striker/ Midfielder

Our youngest player in the squad, great potential to be a very decent player. Great feet and loves to carry the ball forward, looking forward to see how he develops and a top young man.

Danny Cash Jones

Winger

Quality player, quick, difficult to stop and loves a step over. Such a shame he's not always available but an asset when on the team sheet.

VIC BETTNEY TROPHY 2024/25

IN MEMORY OF IAN DEAN

FIRST ROUND

B Town Reserves	6-3	Men United East Sussex
Hassocks Fatboys Reserves	1-4	Sompting & Worthing Wanderers
West Sussex Wanderers	H-W	AFC Grinstead
Heathfield & Horam Reserves	0-2	The Caxton Arms
AFC Headhunters	2-1	Durrington Athletic
Aldrington Rangers Reserves	4-7	Sussex Dynamos
Hampden Park	2-1	Telscombe Raiders

SECOND ROUND

B Town Reserves	3-3	Sompting & Worthing Wanderers
Goring Forest	0-4	Seaford Athletic
BYE	-	The Village
BN3 United	A-W	West Sussex Wanderers
The Caxton Arms	0-6	AFC Manor Reserves
AFC Headhunters	4-2	Aldrington Rangers Reserves
Sussex Dynamos	1-2	Hampden Park

QUARTER-FINAL

B Town Reserves	2-3	Seaford Athletic
The Village	4-4	Sompting & Worthing Wanderers (P)
West Sussex Wanderers	5-2	AFC Manor Reserves
AFC Headhunters	7-1	Hampden Park

SEMI-FINAL

Seaford Athletic	0-2	Sompting & Worthing Wanderers
West Sussex Wanderers	H-W	AFC Headhunters

FINAL

Sompting & Worthing Wanderers	vs	West Sussex Wanderers
16/04/25 Lancing FC 19:30		



UPCOMING CUP FINALS

SUSSEX SUNDAY FOOTBALL LEAGUE

FRIDAY 18 APRIL

LB ENCLOSURES VETERANS CUP FINAL

SOUTH PARK VETS

VS

BURGESS HILL WANDERERS VETS

@ PEACEHAVEN & TELSCOMBE FC | 19:45

FRIDAY 25 APRIL

AARON CLEMENTS MEMORIAL TROPHY FINAL

SANDS UNITED

VS

HAMPDEN ARMS

@ PEACEHAVEN & TELSCOMBE FC | 20:05



WEST SUSSEX WANDERERS

Formed: 2022

Bio: A team of school friends founded in 2022, we won the league cup in our first year and the League Title last season, looking to add more trophies to our trophy cabinet this season!

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Round Two

BN3 United A-W West Sussex Wanderers

Goals: -

Quarter-Final

West Sussex Wanderers 5-2 AFC Manor Reserves

Goals: Standen 2, Eddowes, Hedges 2

Semi-Final

West Sussex Wanderers H-W AFC Headhunters

Goals: -

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MEET THE PLAYERS

Ben Brown

Bumblebee, key player & great shot stopper, won us many games over the years

Taylor Michael

Temu Tyrick Mitchell, locks up opposition wingers for fun

Sid Evans

Loves the club so much his hair matches our kit

Lewis Michael

BTEC Danny Aarons is the legs in our midfield, never stops running and winning the ball back, vital player

Luke Hedges

Captain, Top Scorer, wand of a left foot, haircut

Toby Eddowes

Fantastic focal point up top, links the play so well, great finisher

Jack Highland

Been fantastic this season, can play anywhere across the front line when he feels like it, and has emerged as a leader in the dressing room

Jake Narraway

Chairman, links play, loves a pointless no look pass and cold palmer celebration

Ollie Bellingham

BRICK WALL, he has revolutionised our defence since the start of last season

Harry Goswell

Technically wonderful, great at the heart of defence and midfield

Toby Penlington

Lost his backpack first day of travelling, doesn't lose many 50/50s though

Ben Summers

Great ball carrier, glides past players and loves a big goal

Felix Constant-Glemas

Electric up the right-hand side, loves to carry the ball up the pitch and bring our wingers into play

Tom Skinner

Loves the Badge, loves a big challenge as well

Harry Standen

Goggles Standen runs the show in midfield even if he is a bit of a pick me

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PREVIOUS WINNERS

2023/24

HORSHAM CRUSADERS SUNDAY

2022/23

PEACEHAVEN ATHLETIC

2021/22

CHARLWOOD VILLAGE



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LEAGUE STATISTICS

SSFL DIVISION THREE TABLE

		P	W	D	L	F	A	+/-	Pts
1	Hassocks Fatboys Reserves	20	16	1	3	62	33	29	49
2	AFC Manor Reserves	20	13	2	5	56	38	18	41
3	Sussex Dynamos	20	13	1	6	58	46	12	40
4	West Sussex Wanderers	19	12	2	5	73	45	28	38
5	Hampden Park	20	10	2	8	58	48	10	32
6	Crawley Cosmos	20	8	4	8	45	55	-10	28
7	B Town Reserves	18	7	2	9	48	48	0	23
8	The Caxton Arms	20	6	2	12	44	55	-11	20
9	Durrington Athletic	20	6	1	13	46	67	-21	19
10	The View Sunday	20	5	3	12	41	59	-18	18
11	Telscombe Raiders	19	2	0	17	28	65	-37	6

SSFL DIVISION FOUR TABLE

		P	W	D	L	F	A	+/-	Pts
1	Rudgwick Panthers SX	16	12	2	2	58	31	27	38
2	Sompting & Worthing Wanderers	16	10	2	4	46	28	18	32
3	AFC Headhunters	16	9	0	7	39	40	-1	27
4	Men United East Sussex	16	8	1	7	48	42	6	25
5	The Village Football Club	15	8	1	6	33	27	6	25
6	Seaford Athletic	16	4	5	7	26	27	-1	17
7	AFC Grinstead	16	5	2	9	26	28	-2	17
8	Aldrington Rangers Reserves	15	5	1	9	25	47	-22	16
9	Heathfield & Horam Reserves	16	2	2	12	16	47	-31	8

TOP SCORERS (ALL COMPS)

MASON FUNNELL AFC Manor Reserves	43	34	LUKE HEDGES West Sussex Wanderers
REECE TANNER The Village	30	25	MAURO LAI Men United

TEAM SHEET



**SOMPTING &
WORTHING WDRS**
BLUE



**WEST SUSSEX
WANDERERS**
ORANGE

- ☐ TODD ROBERTS [GK]
- ☐ PHILIP INGOLD
- ☐ THABANI MBAMBO
- ☐ NICHOLAS SMITH
- ☐ LUKE HENDY
- ☐ RICHARD WHEATLEY
- ☐ LIAM HALL
- ☐ CHRIS PEASE
- ☐ ROB HALL
- ☐ DEAN ETTRIDGE
- ☐ DAN HALSEY
- ☐ JEGAN JATHUSAN
- ☐ MARTIN GILBERT
- ☐ MTHOKOZISI MBAMBO
- ☐ ROMAN HARDIE
- ☐ DANNY JONES
- ☐ FINLEY MUNNERY
- ☐
- ☐
- ☐
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MANAGER: WAYNE POULTER
ASSISTANT: -

- 1 ☐ BEN BROWN [GK]
- 3 ☐ TAYLOR MICHAEL
- 5 ☐ SID EVANS
- 6 ☐ LEWIS MICHAEL
- 7 ☐ LUKE HEDGES
- 9 ☐ TOBY EDDOWES
- 10 ☐ JACK HIGHLAND
- 11 ☐ JAKE NARRAWAY
- 12 ☐ OLLIE BELLINGHAM
- 16 ☐ HARRY GOSWELL
- 21 ☐ TOBY PENLINGTON
- 23 ☐ BEN SUMMERS
- 24 ☐ FELIX CONSTANT-GLEMAS
- 27 ☐ TOM SKINNER
- 66 ☐ HARRY STANDEN
- ☐ AARON MAYNARD-PERKES
- ☐ OLLIE HOLMAN
- ☐
- ☐
- ☐
- ☐

MANAGER: JACOB STERRY
ASSISTANT: ALEX BELLINGHAM

MATCH OFFICIALS

REFEREE
GARY MANVILLE-
DICKENS

ASSISTANT
LEIGH HUFFER

ASSISTANT
JASON GATHERN

