

**BIRMINGHAM COUNTY
FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION**

GIRLS COUNTY CUP FINAL

2021

2022



**WARWICK JUNIORS U16
VS
WORDSLEY PANTHERS U16**



SATURDAY 23 APRIL 2022 | KICK OFF 11AM | BCFA EXCELLENCE ARENA

ADULTS £3 | CONCESSIONS £1

OFFICIAL MATCHDAY PROGRAMME



COUNTY CUP FIXTURES 2021/22

YOU CAN BE PART OF THE #MORETHANACUP JOURNEY BY ATTENDING
OUR 14 COUNTY CUP FINALS DURING APRIL AND MAY 2022.

SUNDAY AMATEUR CUP

**EXCELLENCE ARENA
BIRMINGHAM COUNTY FA
SUNDAY 10 APRIL, 11AM**

GIRLS COUNTY CUP

**EXCELLENCE ARENA
BIRMINGHAM COUNTY FA
SATURDAY 23 APRIL, 11AM**

SUNDAY VASE

**EXCELLENCE ARENA
BIRMINGHAM COUNTY FA
SUNDAY 24 APRIL, 11AM**

SENIOR CUP

**ASTON VILLA FC
WEDNESDAY 4 MAY, 7.30PM**

SATURDAY AMATEUR CUP

**EXCELLENCE ARENA
BIRMINGHAM COUNTY FA
SATURDAY 7 MAY, 2PM**

ROGER WOOD MEMORIAL CUP

**EXCELLENCE ARENA
BIRMINGHAM COUNTY FA
SUNDAY 8 MAY, 11AM**

MIDWEEK FLOODLIT CUP

**SOLIHULL MOORS FC
TUESDAY 10 MAY, 7.30PM**

WOMEN'S COUNTY CUP

**WALSALL FC
WEDNESDAY 11 MAY, 7.30PM**

JOEL RICHARDS MEMORIAL CUP

**WALSALL FC
FRIDAY 13 MAY, 7.45PM**

SATURDAY MINOR CUP

**EXCELLENCE ARENA
BIRMINGHAM COUNTY FA
SATURDAY 14 MAY, 11AM**

MINOR CHALLENGE CUP

**EXCELLENCE ARENA
BIRMINGHAM COUNTY FA
SUNDAY 15 MAY, 11AM**

SATURDAY VASE

**EXCELLENCE ARENA
BIRMINGHAM COUNTY FA
SATURDAY 21 MAY, 2PM**

VETERANS CUP

**EXCELLENCE ARENA
BIRMINGHAM COUNTY FA
SUNDAY 22 MAY, 11AM**

SUNDAY YOUTH CUP

**EXCELLENCE ARENA
BIRMINGHAM COUNTY FA
SUNDAY 29 MAY, 11AM**

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WELCOME

WE ARE DELIGHTED TO WELCOME YOU TO TODAY'S COUNTY CUP FINAL

A warm welcome to all the players, coaches, volunteers and supporters of both competing teams and also the match officials for this prestigious County Cup Final.

With 1,200 clubs with a combined 5,200 teams and 77,000 players playing all formats of the game within our boundary, every team that makes it to one of our 14 County Cup Finals should be rightly proud of their achievements.

The previous two years have been difficult with limited amounts of football played due to Covid but we have again received over 500 Cup entries across all of our competitions so the winners can proudly carry the mantle of County 'Champions' which also brings with it the kudos but added responsibility of playing and behaving in the manner that befits the title.

It is also a big day for our match officials who have also dedicated hours and in some cases many years in the middle and on the side-lines at all levels of the game in order to have been selected to represent our 1,200 Birmingham County FA officials at today's final.

I'd also like to take the opportunity of thanking the thousands of volunteers for all the work they do throughout the season to simply help and administer and improve their clubs and teams – more often than not unpaid. Without the range of volunteers at every level of the game and at every club and league, then the game as we know it would not exist, especially grassroots and as part of the celebrations, we will be presenting a volunteer award which each finalist has nominated as a thank you.

I'd also like to thank my colleagues at Birmingham County FA for all the work they do and the support they offer in order to promote, govern and develop the game.

Enjoy the game and celebrate your achievements before, during and after the game and whilst recognising and respecting the opposition and their efforts along with those of the match officials.

Play well and enjoy the memories and friendships that the fixture brings.

Kevin Shoemake
CEO – Birmingham County FA



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MEET THE OFFICIALS



REFEREE

JULIA KINGS

I took my referee exams when I was 14 and wanted more of an involvement within football alongside playing and have been enjoying it ever since. This season I have officiated more in the women's game and am currently on the women's promotion pathway hoping to get as far as I can. I am currently at university but am continuing to officiate there, and recently was assistant referee for the men's varsity. I am delighted to get this county cup final appointment and cannot wait to see how the game goes.



ASSISTANT REFEREE

EMMA BISSETT

I qualified in 2019 and after a break for an ACL injury, I am currently going through promotion. I referee in and around the Rugby area in both male and female games.



ASSISTANT REFEREE

AMY LAMINE-SIMMONS

I completed my referee course a week after I turned 14 in February of 2019. Now aged 17, I aim to progress to the top leagues in football having an ultimate goal of being a Premier League official. Being appointed as an assistant referee for this County Cup final, I'm thrilled to gaining the professional experience along with increasing my ambitions to become a referee.



FOURTH OFFICIAL

LOIS JEFFERIES

I am delighted that I have the U16's County Cup appointment on Saturday. It's great to see that the work I have put into officiating this season has been noticed. As I still play football myself, I understand how much time and commitment we give as players, and how these days make it worth it. I wish both teams the best!

GIRLS COUNTY CUP

WARWICK JUNIORS U16

THE ROAD TO THE FINAL

FIRST ROUND

WARWICK JUNIORS U16

vs

BYE

SECOND ROUND

WARWICK JUNIORS U16 6

vs

KNOWLE GIRLS U16 RAPTORS 1

QUARTER-FINAL

WARWICK JUNIORS U16 4

vs

BOLDMERE FALCONS U16 0

SEMI-FINAL

PS OLYMPIC U16 1 (3)

vs

WARWICK JUNIORS U16 1 (4)



WARWICK JUNIORS U16

MEET THE TEAM

CLUB OFFICIALS



David Benjamin
Manager



Colin Chambers
Coach

PLAYERS

WE ASKED THE PLAYERS FOR THEIR POSITION, THE CLUB THEY SUPPORT & THEIR FAVOURITE PLAYER



Lucy Bicknell
Goalkeeper
Manchester United
Jess Carter



Elektra Lue
Defender
Chelsea
N'Golo Kante



Chloe Price-Forbs
Defender
Liverpool
Roberto Firmino



Shayla Jerman
Defender
Real Madrid
Cristiano Ronaldo



Eve Chaundy
Defender
Aston Villa
Emi Buendia



Elena Zaffignani
Defender/Winger
AC Milan
Stephen Houghton



Sophie Howard
Defender/Winger
Derby County
Jess Carter



Frankie Benjamin
Midfielder
Aston Villa
Georgia Stanway



Millie Cole
Midfielder
Liverpool
James Milner



Esme Chambers
Midfielder
West Ham United
Kate Longhurst



Eliza Astbury
Striker/Winger
Chelsea
Millie Bright



Rachel Matthews
Winger
Manchester City
Raheem Sterling



Sienna Viteri
Striker/Winger
Manchester United
Fran Kirby



Leila Scott
Striker
Aston Villa
Ezri Konsa



Ella Ashley
Striker
Manchester United
Lucy Bronze

SAVE TODAY, PLAY TOMORROW

Birmingham County Football Association is committed to pioneering the way in which football minimises the impact of its activities on the environment.



More information on our commitment to creating a sustainable game is available below, along with helpful resources and documents that clubs, leagues and participants can use to help make a significant, positive contribution to the environment. Find out more by clicking [here](#).

Environmental Policy. We are now taking steps to measure our impact on the environment and set ambitious targets for ongoing improvement, and will comply with all relevant environmental legislation. View our policy [here](#).

WM Net Zero Business Pledge. We are proud to have joined over 50 organisations across the region in committing to the WM Net Zero Business Pledge. [Find out more](#).



Green Innovation Fund. As part of Birmingham County FA's commitment to creating a low carbon, greener game, we are giving clubs the opportunity to apply for grant funding up to the value of £750 to help support innovative, environmentally positive sustainability projects at a grassroots level. Keep an eye on the portal opening [here](#).

British Association for Sustainable Sport (BASIS). They are the sustainability hub for the UK sports industry with a fierce belief in sustainable sport: not-for-profit committed to delivering a positive impact for sport at every level, and harnessing the power of sport to make a difference for all. Click [here](#) for more information.



Be A Super Supporter and Liftshare. We have partnered with Liftshare to launch the first-ever car sharing scheme in grassroots football. Liftshare are the UK's largest car sharing organisation & this partnership provides you the opportunity to join the 750,000 likeminded people across the country to reduce their emissions footprint and save money. You can register to join our community [here](#).



FOLLOW THE SAVE TODAY, PLAY TOMORROW CHANNELS ON SOCIAL MEDIA AND STAY UP TO DATE WITH OUR WEBSITE FOR ALL THE LATEST NEWS ON SUSTAINABILITY



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Planet Mark Certified. We're proud to announce that we've achieved the Planet Mark Year 2021 Business Certification. This is an incredible achievement involving the entire business. In this crucial

#DecadeofAction, measuring our own carbon footprint has been a critical step in reducing our impact on the planet and society and through the findings and recommendations from the report we are on the right track to meet our Net Zero ambitions by 2030. View our full Planet Mark Report [here](#).



Football Rebooted. We are kicking off 2022 by partnering with Football Rebooted to help them achieve their ambitious target of saving one million pairs of football boots from landfill, and redistributing them across the West Midlands region through a network of boot collection points located at grassroots football clubs. You can view the collection points [here](#).

Corporate Travel Management. CTM is a Global Travel Management company with offices all over the globe. Our Sports Travel Management division leverages the team travel, VIP, and event management CTM expertise of the global CTM group to provide winning travel solutions to the sports industry. Find out more [here](#).



Pledge of Sustainability. We have partnered with the charity, Pledgeball for the 21/22 season, to encourage all clubs to sign up for the first-of-its-kind Sustainability Pledge in football. Using Pledgeball's unique digital platform, all clubs are eligible to join along with their members, supporters and family and make simple lifestyle choices that help improve the planet and move your club up the Sustainability League Table. View the league table [here](#).

**FIND OUT MORE ABOUT OUR SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAMME BY
CLICKING ANY OF THE FOUR WORKSTREAM LOGO'S BELOW:**



THE AMBITIOUS GOAL OF LOW CARBON FOOTBALL

GIRLS COUNTY CUP

WORDSLEY PANTHERS U16

THE ROAD TO THE FINAL

FIRST ROUND

WORDSLEY PANTHERS U16 3

VS

COVENTRY CITY GIRLS U16 2

SECOND ROUND

WORDSLEY PANTHERS U16 3

VS

KINGSHURST PAVILIONS U16 1

QUARTER-FINAL

REDDITCH UNITED U16 1

VS

WORDSLEY PANTHERS U16 4

SEMI-FINAL

AFC WULFRUNIANS U16 0

VS

WORDSLEY PANTHERS U16 1



WORDSLEY PANTHERS U16

MEET THE TEAM

CLUB OFFICIALS



John Doleman
Manager



David Vickery
Manager



John Cook
Coach



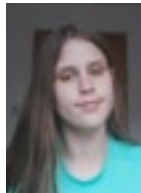
Alan Hannaway
Coach

PLAYERS

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Elizabeth Steatham
Goalkeeper
Wolves
Ruben Neves



Elley-Mae Cottam
Goalkeeper
Manchester United
Cristiano Ronaldo



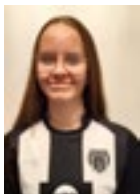
Olivia Troope
Right Back
Celtic
Ronaldo Luis



Sian Doleman
Centre Back
West Brom
Millie Bright



Faith Hollis
Centre Back
West Brom
Cristiano Ronaldo



Chloe Gryckiewicz
Left Back
West Brom
Millie Bright



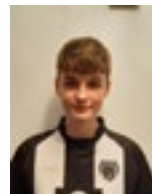
Charlotte Turner
Centre Midfielder
West Brom
Taylor Gardner-Hickman



Ellie Riley
Centre Midfielder
Aston Villa
John McGinn



Joella Bate
Centre Midfielder
Wolves
Cristiano Ronaldo



Lewis Gryckiewicz
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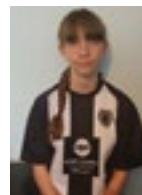
Milli Shepherd
Centre Midfielder
West Brom
Mason Mount



Aleesha Cooper
Left Wing
Wolves
Conor Coady



Freya Masson
Right Wing
Aston Villa
Beth Mead



Athena Simpson
Right Wing/Striker
Aston Villa
Jacob Ramsey



Molly Cook
Striker
Aston Villa
Ollie Watkins



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Share unforgettable moments this summer

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WOMEN'S AND GIRLS FOOTBALL

Women's football across the Birmingham County FA ranges from recreational small sided games, to professional teams with international players who are at the highest level of the game.

We support a number of leagues and opportunities across the county for women and girls to play the beautiful game, which includes one of the largest Youth Female Leagues in the country.

- RTC'S
- Squad Girls
- Walking Football
- Coach Development Workshops

For further information on any of the above, please visit our website [here](#), or contact Vicky.Mitchell@BirminghamFA.com

GIRLS COUNTY CUP

FINAL

2021

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WARWICK JUNIORS U16



Ella Ashley
Eliza Astbury
Frankie Benjamin
Lucy Bicknell (GK)
Esme Chambers
Eve Chaundy
Milly Cole
Sophie Howard
Shayla Jerman
Elektra Luo
Rachel Matthews
Chloe Price-Forbes
Leila Scott
Sienna Viteri
Elena Zaffignani

COACHING STAFF

Dean Brandrick - Manager
David Benjamin - Coach
Colin Chambers - Coach

First Choice Colours:

Green & Black Shirts, Black Shorts & Black Socks



WORDSLEY PANTHERS U16

Joella Bate
Molly Cook
Aleesha Cooper
Elley-Mae Cottam (GK)
Sian Doleman
Chloe Gryckiewicz
Lewis Gryckiewicz
Faith Hollis
Freya Masson
Ellie Riley
Milli Shepherd
Athena Simpson
Elizabeth Steatham (GK)
Olivia Troope
Charlotte Turner

COACHING STAFF

John Doleman - Manager
David Vickery - Manager
Alan Hannaway - Coach
John Cook - Coach

First Choice Colours:

Purple Shirts, Black Shorts & Black Socks

TROPHY PRESENTED BY

David Clinton, Beacon Football
Leagues Management Committee

MATCH OFFICIALS

Referee - Julia Kings
Assistant Referee - Emma Bissett
Assistant Referee - Amy Lamine-Simmons
Fourth Official - Lois Jefferies

NEXT FINAL

Sunday Vase
BCFA Excellence Arena
Sunday 24 April, 11am

