BIRMINGHAM COUNTY FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION

SATURDAY MINOR CUP FINAL 2021 2022



COVENTRY COPSEWOOD U16 **VS** STRATFORD TOWN YOUTH U16



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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

FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA AND STAY UP TO DATE WITH OUR WEBSITE FOR ALL THE LATEST NEWS ON BIRMINGHAM COUNTY FA'S COUNTY CUP FINALS







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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RESPECT

#SHOW SOME RESPECT



SATURDAY MINOR CUP

MEET THE OFFICIALS



REFEREE
JACK SHEPHERD

I've officiated for around 10 years to date and I'm currently a Level 4 referee at Supply League. I've been lucky enough to referee infront of 2500+ at Hereford and the like, and I love every minute I spend on a football field. I'm honoured to referee this County Cup final and hope its an enjoyable final for all.



ASSISTANT REFEREE STEVE CHAPPELL

I have been officiating for over 10 years. I'm a Senior Birmingham County Official Level 5 and it is a honour to officiate in a County Cup Final.



ASSISTANT REFEREE MARTIN WRIGHT

After retiring from playing the beautiful game through injury I took up coaching a junior team for 8 years and after that took the plunge to go into refereeing back in 2010. In the last 2 seasons I achieved back to back promotions to gain my level 5 status and currently referee in numerous local leagues around the West Midlands.



FOURTH OFFICIAL MOHAMMED AHSAN

Transitioned from playing to refereeing just over a decade ago and completed the course with the Royal Air Force. Currently referee in leagues across the West Midlands - Midland Football League and Oakbourne & Coronation League. A family man, married to Abby with 4 children, and outside of football I enjoy snooker with mates and eating out with family and friends. 56 years young with cheerful disposition, and a Villa supporter. I'm passionate about access for all to the beautiful game, and enjoy refereeing both with youth and adults. I feel delighted and privileged to be appointed to officiate in the 2021/22 Saturday Minor Cup Final. Always looking to learn and improve my game and going for promotion to level 4 this coming season.

SATURDAY MINOR CUP

COVENTRY COPSEWOOD U16

THE ROAD TO THE FINAL

FIRST ROUND

COVENTRY COPSEWOOD U16
AWAY WIN WALKOVER

QUARTER-FINAL

COVENTRY COPSEWOOD U16 2
vs
LEEK WOOTTON U16 0

SEMI-FINAL

COVENTRY COPSEWOOD U16 2
vs
AFC WULFRUNIANS U16 1



COVENTRY COPSEWOOD U16

MEET THE TEAM

CLUB OFFICIALS



Ben McGhee Manager



Steve Anderson Assistant Manager

PLAYERS



Finn Osborne Goalkeeper



Ryan Mason Goalkeeper



Lee Hollis Defender



Dan Anderson Defender



Sam Broad Defender



Corey Perkins Defender



Seb Duffy Midfielder



Jack Reidy Midfielder



Chez Lowe Midfielder



Beau Friel Midfielder



Lucas Neale Midfielder



Kaidon Hand-Wills Midfielder



Dan Davies Attacker



Ted Currie Attacker



Mekhai Stewart Attacker

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.



Envrionmental 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 F OR ALL THE LATEST NEWS ON SUSTAINABILITY

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.



Pledgeball

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:











STRATFORD TOWN YOUTH U16

THE ROAD TO THE FINAL

FIRST ROUND

STRATFORD TOWN YOUTH U16

vs BYE

QUARTER-FINAL

STRATFORD TOWN YOUTH U16 4
vs
NUNEATON BOROUGH U16 0

SEMI-FINAL

STRATFORD TOWN YOUTH U16 4 (8)
vs
STOURBRIDGE U16 4 (7)

DAUNTLESS

STRATFORD TOWN YOUTH U16

MEET THE TEAM

CLUB OFFICIALS

Manager Nathan Flint Assistant Manager Dave Herdman Assistant Manager Sam Campagna

PLAYERS

Ollie Cardy
Josh Davies
Harry Featherstone
Cole Flint
Jake Forman
Curtis Haywood
Oscar Husson
Jamie Kelman
William Kitching
James Lev
Ollie Poole
Connor Reid
Zach Taylor
Rhys Thomas
Jake Waterfield





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Daniel Anderson Sam Broad Ted Currie **Dan Davies** Sub Duffy Beau Friel Bradley Goma Kaidon Hand-Wills

Lee Hollis

Chez Lowe Ryan Mason

Finn Osborn

Corey Perkins Jack Reidu

Mekhai Stewart

COACHING STAFF

Ben McGhee - Manager Steve Anderson - Assistant Manager

> First Choice Colours: Royal Blue Shirts, Royal Blue Shorts & Royal Blue Socks

TROPHY PRESENTED BY

Andy Cartwright, Birmingham County FA Referee Appointments Officer

MATCH OFFICIALS

Referee: Jack Shepherd Assistant Referee: Steve Chappell Assistant Referee: Martin Wright Fourth Official: Mohammed Ahsan

STRATFORD TOWN YOUTH U16

Ollie Cardu Josh Davies Harry Featherstone Cole Flint Jake Forman Curtis Haywood Oscar Husson Jamie Kelman William Kitching James Lev Ollie Poole Connor Reid

Zach Taylor

Rhys Thomas Jake Waterfield

COACHING STAFF

Nathan Flint - Manager Dave Herdman - Assistant Manager Sam Campagna - Assistant Manager

First Choice Colours: Orange Shirts, Black Shorts & Black Socks

NEXT FINAL

MInor Challenge Cup BCFA Excellence Arena Sunday 15 May, 11am





