



# **Sunday Minor Cup**

TEWKESBURY TOWN SUNDAY

vs
WINCHCOMBE WORKING MENS

02/04/2023 10:30am Bishops Cleeve FC



# Gloucestershire FA County Cups Committee Board

Gloucestershire FA County Cups Committee Board, I would like to welcome today's teams, Tewkesbury Town Sunday and Winchcombe Working Mens FC and their players, club officials and supporters to Bishops Cleeve for this Sunday Minor Cup North Final match. I also welcome the match officials, James West, Stuart Evans, Michael Lytheer and Alan Overthrow, whose appointment recognises their performances this season. I hope they enjoy the occasion. I would like to take this opportunity to thank the GFA staff and the County Cups Committee members for all their hard work.

This has been my first season as Chairman of the County Cups North, and being able to use fellow members of the committee and GFA Officers for guidance and help where needed has been a massive advantage for me.

Their combined work is vital to the success of our cup competitions. The uptake of teams participating in the tournaments has been great, and we are excited for the players to make use of Bishops Cleeve's new state-of-the-art 3G playing facility. It only remains for me to wish both teams and the match officials good luck for today's game and hope that it is a memorable occasion for you all. Gloucestershire FA Cups Committee (North).

Jamie Thomas, Gloucestershire FA Cups Committee (North)









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#### **SUNDAY MINOR CUP**

This season's tournament saw 39 teams enter and we are now down to the final two teams, Tewkesbury Town Sunday and Winchcombe Working Men's Club competing to be crowned as the 2022/23 Champions. Should the score be level after 90 minutes of play, the winner shall be decided by the taking of kicks from the penalty mark in accordance with the procedures defined in the 'Laws of the Game'. No extra time will be played. Read on to find out how the two teams got here and who is playing in today's final.

#### 2021-22 WINNERS







## **MATCH OFFICIALS**

**REFEREE: James West** 

**ASSISTANT: Stuart Evans** 

**ASSISTANT: Michael Lytheer** 

**4TH OFFICIAL: Alan Overthrow** 















### **TEWKESBURY TOWN SUNDAY**



#### **SQUAD LIST**

15 Cam Anderson

3 Jack Cordell

1 Matt Cox

7 Jack England

10 Ben Hardy

14 Josh Hedges

11 Sam Janes

12 Dave Mace

6 Ryan McGill

4 Taylor Preedy

8 Ed Scarrott

17 Ben Sullivan

9 Matt Tarling

5 Ryan Banfield









# **TEWKESBURY TOWN SUNDAY**



#### Season so far

For the last two years, Alan and Toby have been running the Tewkesbury Town FC Sunday Team. It was a difficult start-up trying to integrate the youth team that Alan brought through our youth system at TTFC Colts, along with current Saturday players and then the more experienced ex-players. This took a few games for the team to settle and for players to adapt to each other. Our first season saw us reach the County Cup Semi-Final and finish midtable in Div 2.

#### **Road to Final**

This year we've added more quality to the team and are on course to hit our pre-season goals. Our team has a great balance of Experience, through Captain David Mace and Striker Matt Tarling, and youth to ensure Tewkesbury has an optimistic future. Our Cup run saw us host Bristol Jaguars- winning convincingly 6-2, goals coming from 6 different players in a full team performance. The Semi-Finals had us travelling to Bristol based Sodbury AFC – we fought out a cagey 1-1 draw, conceding in the last few minutes to see us progressing to the final on penalties.







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## WINCHCOMBE WORKING MENS



#### **SQUAD LIST**

- 1. Will Major
- 2. Sam Swift
- 3. Jake Pearson
- 4. Luke Harding
- 5. Kallum Knott (Captain)
- 6. Harry Staddon
- 7. Matt Watkins (Vice

Captain)

- 8. Lee Llewelyn
- 9. Jack Spark
- 10. Jack Beardsell
- 11. Harry Davies
- 15. Tom Barton
- 16. Kyel Leech
- 17. Jordan O'Brien

#### Manager

Oli Jones

**Assistant Manager** 

Joe Parker

**Team Assistant** 

Keith Parker

#### **KIT**

Shirts - Royal Blue and White Stripe Shorts - Royal Blue Socks - Royal Blue GK - Green









# **WINCHCOMBE WORKING MENS**



#### Season so far

Following a successful first season in the Evesham & District Sunday Football League last year (2021/22) and gaining promotion to Division 2 after losing only one game, this season got off to a rocky start. With a squad dilapidated by injury and many availability issues, we lost our first three league games but did manage an internal cup win against Division 1 opponents. We achieved our first league win of the season on 9th October, and from November went on a 6-game unbeaten run in all competitions. At the time of writing, we find ourselves in a mid-table league position, 14 points off the top spot with eight games to play and games in hand over all but one of the teams ahead of us in the table.

#### **Road to Final**

Our County Cup journey started with an Away Walkover. We were drawn against AFC Renegades, the same team who knocked us out of the first round of the County Cup last year, but they sadly folded. The Quarter Final saw us travel to Tewkesbury Athletic, and a brilliant goal by Vice Captain Matt Watkins, assisted by Jack Beardsell in the 59th minute, was enough to see us progress to the Semi-Finals.

The Semi-Final draw saw us face Marling Juniors, but a problem with their pitch meant the fixture was reversed, and we gained a home advantage. After going two goals down in the first 10 minutes, Harry Davies opened the scoring for us in the 16th minute, assisted by Jack Spark. This was followed by a goal from Jack Beardsell, assisted by Matt Watkins in the 23rd minute. We conceded again only 3 minutes later, but in the 36th minute, the referee awarded us a penalty, which Harry Davies sent past Marling's keeper in the 36th minute, bringing the game level at halftime. We started the second half against ten men after Marling had a player sent off at halftime. The game looked all set to go to penalties as chances came and went, but in the 90th minute of the game, Jack Spark scored our winning goal, securing our spot in our first-ever Cup Final. We would like to take this opportunity to thank all of our supporters who have come to cheer us on this season, rain or shine. We massively appreciate your support, and we hope you enjoy the game today! We are the Blue and White Army!





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# County Cup (S) Finals Schedule

Date	Time	Competition Name	Venue	Winner of 1st Semi Final	Winner of 2nd Semi Final	Result
Sunday, 12 March	10.00am	U13 (9v9) Girls Cup	Oaklands Park	Bradley Stoke	Tewkesbury Town Colts	0 - 3
Sunday, 12 March	1.00pm	U15 Girls Cup	Oaklands Park	Bradley Stoke	Prestbury Phantoms Panthers	4 - 1
Sunday, 26 March	10.00am	U14 Girls Cup	Oaklands Park	Downend Flyers Robins	Cheltenham Town Spartans	
Sunday, 26 March	1.00pm	U16 Girls Cup	Oaklands Park	Bitton Sunday	FC Highnam	
Monday, 3 April	7.30pm	Primary Cup (South)	Oaklands Park	FC Rangers	United Bristol CRC	
Tuesday, 11 April	7.30pm	Minor Cup (South)	Oaklands Park	Rockleaze Rangers B	Redfield Rovers	
Thursday, 13 April	7.30pm	Women's Challenge Cup	Oaklands Park	Whitchurch	Cheltenham Civil Service	
Monday, 17 April	7.30pm	Intermediate Cup (South)	Oaklands Park	AFC Mangotsfield	Pucklechurch Sports Reserves	
Tuesday, 18 April	7.30pm	Sunday Premier Cup	Oaklands Park	Wick Sunday	Bristol Academia	
Thursday, 20 April	7.30pm	Women's Trophy	Oaklands Park	Pucklechurch Sports	Forest Green Rovers	
Sunday, 23 April	10.00am	U12 (9v9) Boys Cup	Oaklands Park	Southside Star Tigers	Rockleaze Rangers	
Sunday, 23 April	12.00pm	U12 (9v9) Girls Cup	Oaklands Park	St Nicholas Black	Cheltenham Town Vipers	
Sunday, 23 April	2.00pm	U15 Boys Cup	Oaklands Park	Frampton Rangers Red	Avon Athletic	
Monday, 24 April	7.30pm	Junior Cup (South)	Oaklands Park	Bristol Barcelona	St Vallier	
Tuesday, 25 April	7.30pm	Senior Amateur Cup (Countywide)	Oaklands Park	Stonehouse Town Reserves or Chalford	Avonmouth	
Thursday, 27 April	7.30pm	Challenge Trophy	Oaklands Park	Lydney Town	Roman Glass St George	
Tuesday, 2 May	7.00pm	U16 Boys Cup	Oaklands Park	Mangotsfield United Clarets	Hardwicke Rangers Reds	
Thursday, 4 May	7.00pm	U18 Youth Shield	Oaklands Park	Cheltenham Saracens	Gloucester City	
Sunday, 7 May	10.00am	U14 Boys Cup	Oaklands Park	Longwell Green Sports	Bishops Cleeve Colts Celtics	
Sunday, 7 May	1.00pm	U13 Boys Cup	Oaklands Park	Brockworth Albion	Cinderford Town	
To be arranged	tbc	Senior Challenge Cup (provisional)	Oaklands Park	Bristol Manor Farm or Bristol City U23	Cheltenham Town Reserves	









# County Cup (N) Finals Schedule

Date	Time	Competition Name	Venue	Winner of 1st Semi Final	Winner of 2nd Semi Final	Result
Sunday, 2 April	10.30am	Sunday Minor Cup	Bishops Cleeve FC	Tewkesbury Town Sunday	Winchcombe Working Mens	
Tuesday, 4 April	7.45pm	Minor Cup (North)	Bishops Cleeve FC	Down Ampney	Stratton United	
Tuesday, 11 April	7.45pm	Intermediate Cup (North)	Bishops Cleeve FC	Dursley Town Reserves	Cam Bulldogs	
Thursday, 13 April	7.45pm	Primary Cup (North)	Bishops Cleeve FC	Brockworth Albion 3rds	Nailsworth Town	
Tuesday, 18 April	7.45pm	Junior Cup (North)	Bishops Cleeve FC	Westbury United	FC Lakeside Reserves	

North County Cup Finals to be played at: Bishops Cleeve, Kayte Lane, Southam, Bishops Cleeve, Cheltenham GL52 3PD.











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