

# GLOUCESTERSHIRE FA

## Junior Cup (North)



30/04/2024



7:45pm



Bishops Cleeve FC



**TETBURY  
TOWN**

**VS**

**TAVERNERS**



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# Gloucestershire FA

## County Cups Committee Board

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On behalf of the Gloucestershire FA County Cups Committee Board, I would like to welcome today's teams, Tetbury Town and Taverners and their players, club officials and supporters to Oaklands Park for this Junior Cup (North) match. I also welcome the match officials, Adrian Shilston, Geoffrey Prosser, Edward Roberts and Adam Weightman, 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. Their combined work is vital to the success of our cup competitions. 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.

Derek Cumner, Gloucestershire FA Cups Committee (South)



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"MY COACH KEPT ME  
SMILING ON THE PITCH  
- THAT'S WHEN  
I'M MOST  
DANGEROUS."



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# JUNIOR CUP (NORTH)

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This season's tournament saw 41 teams enter, and we are now down to the final two teams, Tetbury Town and Taverers competing to be crowned as the 2023/24 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.

## MATCH OFFICIALS

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REFEREE: Adrian Shilston

ASSISTANT: Geoffrey Prosser

ASSISTANT: Edward Roberts

4TH OFFICIAL: Adam Weightman



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# TETBURY TOWN

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## SQUAD LIST

1. Christian Goodwin
2. Glenn Freeman
3. Sam Brown
4. Billy Montague
5. Joe Staples
6. Owen Johnson
7. Alex Whiting
8. Anthony Robinson
9. Tommy Blackah
10. Richard Jones (C)
11. Oscar Purnell
12. Carl O'Keeffe
14. Alex Wyer
15. Lucas Slowik
16. Harry Purnell
17. Daniel Berkow

## Manager

Kevin Purnell

## Assistant Manager

Grace Purnell

## Physio

Ricky Seal

## KIT

Shirts - Orange

Shorts - Black

Socks - Black

GK - Yellow



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# TETBURY TOWN

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## Route to the Final

First Round - 2 – 2 Southside Star 1st's ( 5-4 On Penalties)

Second Round – 10-1 vs Quedgeley Wanderers Reserves

Third Round – 5-0 Elwood 1st's

Quarter-Final – 4-1 Painswick 1st's

Semi-Final - 2-0 vs Brockworth Albion Reserves

## Manager's Comment

After a tricky opening game in the Cup where a below par Town struggled through on penalties, Tetbury have scored at will in the county cup with some superb performances along the way including an emphatic 4-1 win over (current Division 1 leaders) Painswick.

Looking to build on the positive steps made in the 22-23 season , Tetbury's league challenge started brightly and at the turn of the year saw the club sitting top of the league having won 10 of their opening 13 games, however a disappointing run of results in early April including back to back defeats at home handed the onus to Painswick and tonight's opposition Taverners, meaning Tetbury would have to settle for a 3rd place finish for the second season running. After another dominating performance against Painswick in the league cup semi-final the team were able to convert the multiple chances created and sadly lost on penalties, meaning the boys will be desperate for a victory tonight to crown what has been a superb albeit frustrating season.

**Kevin Purnell**



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# TAVERNERS

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## SQUAD LIST

1. Jer Ward (GK)
2. Ethan Moulden
3. Brook Jenner
4. Mike Thornton
5. Luke Bedwell
6. Josh Blunt
7. Tyler Jagers
8. Louis Wilkins (C)
9. Harley Hudd
10. Riley Fletcher
11. Fraser Hankins
12. Joe Baker
14. Ciaran Shelbourn
15. Charlie Daniels
16. Myles Marklove
17. Russell Chamberlain

## Manager

Mark Harsant

## Assistant Manager

Jamie Fletcher

## Physio

Simon Lloyd-Jones

## KIT

Shirts - Blue  
Shorts - Blue  
Socks - Blue  
GK - Yellow



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# TAVERNERS



## Route to the Final

First Round - Ruardean Hill Rangers Reserves 9-1

Second Round - Milkwall 4-2

Third Round - Hardwicke Reserves 5-0

Quarter-Final - Wotton Rovers 1-1 (4-2 on penalties)

Semi-Final - Winchcombe Town 3-2

## Manager's Comment

Taverners have had a remarkable season in Stroud League 1 after earning promotion last year. The club secured the runners-up position and embarked on an impressive journey in the league cup, reaching the semi-finals.

The club's strategic move to disband the reserve side in 2021, aimed at solidifying its future, resulted in the first team's transition from the Northern Senior League Div 1 to the Stroud Leagues, the first time in over three decades, since the 1991/92 season. Mark Harsant, then the reserve team manager, assumed leadership from Taverners legend Dale Russell upon his return to the club following a brief absence.

During the 2021/22 season, Harsant's squad comprised former reserve players, a few retained first-team members, and promising young talent. Despite the transitional phase, the team managed to secure a commendable 9th place finish. In the following season, more emphasis was placed on integrating youth into the squad, resulting in a successful promotion campaign. The youthful lineup proved their mettle, leading to their retention for the current season.

In our journey through this GFA County Cup Competition, we've experienced thrilling moments. Jer Ward's heroic penalty saves thwarted Wotton Rovers' progress, while a last-gasp header from Charlie Daniels secured our place in the final. The last time Taverners reached a County Cup Final was 22 years ago, in the 2001/02 season, when the club triumphed over Longlevens in front of a crowd of 500 at Forest Green Rovers.

## Mark Harsant



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# County Cup Finals Schedule and Results

## **Sunday 17th March**

### **U13 Girls Cup**

St Nicholas Youth U13 Black 1-0  
Gotherington Juniors U13 Youth

## **Sunday 17th March**

### **U15 Girls Cup**

Gotherington Juniors Youth 3-0 City of  
Gloucester Women Youth U15 Meteors

## **Sunday 17th March**

### **U14 Girls Cup**

FC Highnam Youth U14 Girls vs 1-1 (10-11  
on pens) Cheltenham Town Ladies Youth  
U14 Tigers

## **Tuesday 2nd April**

### **Primary Cup (North)**

Chalford 4ths 0-6 Longlevens 5ths

## **Tuesday 2nd April**

### **Primary Cup (South)**

Bristol Boys 1-4 AC Moose

## **Thursday 4th April**

### **Minor Cup (South)**

FC United of Yate 2-1 FC Rangers

## **Tuesday 9th April**

### **Intermediate Cup (South)**

Made Forever 3-4 Woodlands

## **Tuesday 9th April**

### **Intermediate Cup (North)**

Montpellier 0-2 Abbeymead Rovers

## **Thursday 11th April**

### **Womens Challenge Cup**

Bitton Development 5-0 Longlevens

## **Tuesday 16th April**

### **Junior Cup (South)**

Bristol Barcelona 2-1 Filton Athletic  
Reserves

## **Tuesday 16th April**

### **Minor Cup (North)**

Old Richians Reserves 1-5 Rising Star

## **Thursday 18th April**

### **Women's Trophy**

Cheltenham Town Ladies Reserves 0-2 AEK  
Boco

## **Sunday 21st April**

### **U12 (9v9) Boys Cup**

Lydney Town 1-7 Bristol Rovers Supporters

## **Sunday 21st April**

### **U12 (9v9) Girls Cup**

Cheltenham Town 2-1 City of Gloucester

## **Sunday 21st April**

### **U15 Boys Cup**

Longwell Green Sports Athletic 2-0  
Mangotsfield United Eagles



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# County Cup Finals Schedule and Results

## **Tuesday 23rd April**

### **Senior Challenge Cup**

Gloucester City 2-2 (5-4 on pens) Bishops Cleeve

## **Tuesday 23rd April**

### **Senior Amateur Cup**

Hanham Athletic 2-2 (5-6 on pens) Brockworth Albion

## **Thursday 25th April**

### **Challenge Trophy**

Mangotsfield United 3-2 Cheltenham Saracens

## **Sunday 28th April**

### **U14 Boys Cup**

Brockworth Albion 1-1 (3-2) Port of Bristol Purple

## **Sunday 28th April**

### **U13 Boys Cup**

St Alhelms Clarets 0-2 Rockleaze Rangers

## **Sunday 28th April**

### **U16 Girls Cup**

Lydney Town Lionesses 2-3 FC Highnam

## **Tuesday 30th April**

### **U16 Boys Cup**

Longlevens vs Avon Athletic

## **Tuesday 30th April**

### **Junior Cup (North)**

Tetbury Town First vs Taverners First

## **Thursday 2nd May**

### **U18 Youth Shield**

Hallen vs Slimbridge



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