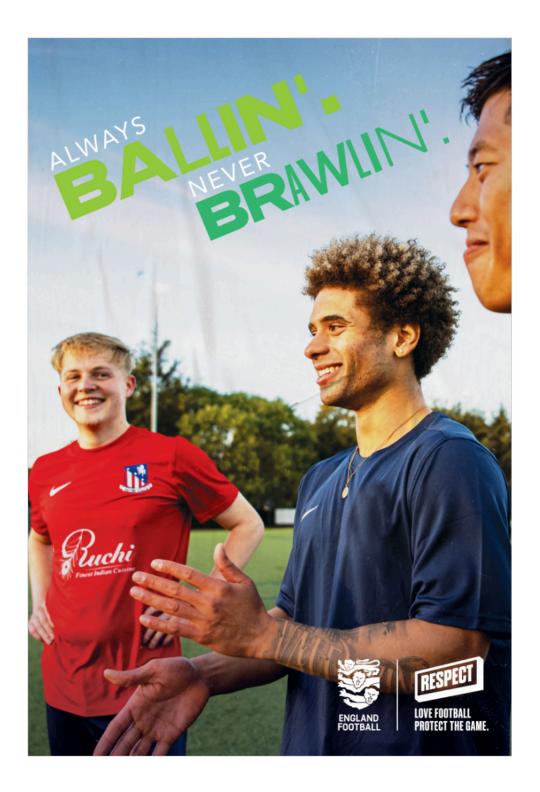




Sunday Intermediate Cup Final 2024 Brewster Plumbing v SOCA

Sunday 7th April 2024 3:00pm The County Ground, Letchworth Garden City



Welcome to The County Ground



Our seventh County Cup Final of 2024

Good afternoon and a warm welcome to The County Ground, home of Hertfordshire FA for today's Sunday Intermediate Cup Final.

Our congratulations go to the players and management of both Brewster Plumbing and SOCA on reaching the final. We wish you the very best of luck for the match and hope you have a memorable day. We also want to acknowledge the volunteers of both clubs, whose hard work behind the scenes gives these players the opportunity to be part of the game.

Congratulations also to the match officials on your appointment to this game, you thoroughly deserve it and we hope you are able to enjoy the occasion.

Finally we are delighted to welcome Karl Lingham, CEO of Hertfordshire FA as Guest of Honour for today's final who will meet the teams before the game and also present the medals at the end of the match.

While you are here be sure to make the most of the facilities, including the Pitchside Cafe which is next to the main stand and will be serving hot and cold drinks, food and snacks throughout the day. Should you have a query, our staff will be happy to help you.

Our goal is to create a friendly and welcoming environment for all and therefore ask that you show your appreciation during and after the game in a positive manner.

Graham Phillips, Chair, Hertfordshire FA

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Competition History

This is the 50th Final of the Hertfordshire FA Sunday Intermediate Cup



The Hertfordshire FA Sunday Intermediate Cup began back in the 1971-72 season, reflecting the rapid growth of Sunday football. The Association had started a Sunday Senior and Sunday Junior competition some eight years previously, but with more and more Sunday teams playing, a third competition was needed to accommodate them.

The Intermediate Cup draws entries from the teams from in the middle divisions of their respective leagues. It is rare to have a team win the Intermediate Cup more than once, due to the fact that they tend to be promoted and then have to enter the Sunday Senior Cup. Indeed only Shakers and Kcinsatop have achieved that feat, both winning twice.

Unsurprising then that both of today's finalists will be looking to record their first win in the competition and become the 48th club to lift the Sunday Intermediate Cup.

Today's match will be 45 minutes each way, with kicks from the penalty mark to decide the winner if necessary. Teams are permitted rolling substitutions from a list of 5 named players

Recent Finals

The COVID pandemic caused the 2019-20 season to be cut short, with that season's competition being declared void. The Sunday Intermediate Cup was not run in the subsequent two seasons before returning in 2021-22.

2009/10	Mill End Sports	3-1	Dun Cow Reserves
2010/11	Narankari	4-0	Asco
2011/12	FC Town	3-2	AC Hertford
2012/13	AFC Doves United	5-1	Drays Athletic
2013/14	The Rifle Volunteer	2-1	Mill End Sports
2014/15	Reed Rangers	3-1	The Bull & Jack
2015/16	The Great Northern	4-0	Shamrock Rovers
2016/17	Markyate	3-1	Blacksmiths Arms
2017/18	Evergreen	2-0	Apollo
2018/19	Everett Rovers	3-1	Blacksmiths Arms
2022/23	Brookmans Park	2-0	Little Heath

Club Profile Brewster Plumbing



Recently formed club looks to build on the success of its first few seasons

Brewster Plumbing FC was formed in 2021 by Stuart Hall and Steve Rixon with a later appointment of Nik Sabitini. Originally the team name was set to be Fusion FC but after gaining the interest of local Hemel Hempstead based business, Brewster Plumbing and Heating Services, a deal was agreed and the name changed to Brewster Plumbing FC. Due to the amount of interest from local players, a reserve team was formed in 2022.

Brewster Plumbing FC started from the very bottom and had a successful season, winning the 3rd Division title. After promotion it was only 1 point that stopped us winning this title, so had to settle for second place and a League Cup final. That final was a show of this club's impressive talents as it was our first team facing our reserves. It was the first team who lifted the trophy and capped off another successful season.

By continually strengthening the squad we have put ourselves in a great position this season and have the opportunity to add more silverware, currently sitting in a strong position in the league, a potential league cup final, and of course this County Cup Final.

This team might carry my name but it is down to the players and the managers why it is so successful. I am so proud of each and every one of you. I thank you from the bottom of my heart for your hard work and dedication. It is a pleasure to call you my teammates.



League Season

Berkhamsted Sunday Football League, Division 1

As at 02/04/2024

		Ρ	w	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Reboxed FC	10	7	1	2	40	20	20	22
2	Berkhamsted Tornadoes Res	11	7	1	3	34	29	5	22
3	Brewster Plumbing	9	7	0	2	38	13	25	21
4	Pioneer	12	6	1	5	39	34	5	19
5	FC Tudors	11	5	1	5	39	42	-3	16
6	Jam United	11	3	0	8	24	44	-20	9
7	The Goat	10	0	0	10	10	42	-32	0





Brewster Plumbing

Currently 3rd in the Berkhamsted Sunday Football League, Division 1 As at 02/04/2024

League Form

Leading Scorers

- Games Won 7 Games Drawn 0 Games Lost 2 Goals Scored 38 Goals Conceded 13
- 25 Lewis Collins Curtis Donaldson 12 7 Ellis North Kye Allport 6 6
 - Ciora Allport



SOCA

Currently 3rd in the Watford Sunday Football League, Division 1 As at 02/04/2024

League Form

R1 R2 R3 QF SF

Games Won	9
Games Drawn	0
Games Lost	2
Goals Scored	48
Goals Conceded	19

Leading Scorers

12	Micah Burton
7	Stevie Dowling
5	George Coffey
4	Jordan Austin
4	Jake Howell

Route to the Final

Brewster Plumbing	5 - 0	Hatfield Seniors
Strafford Arms Reserves	0 - 3	Brewster Plumbing
Brewster Plumbing	4 - 4 (6 - 5)P	Reboxed
Brewster Plumbing	4 - 2	FC Tudors
Brewster Plumbing	2 - 2 (5 - 4)P	Grange United
	Strafford Arms Reserves Brewster Plumbing Brewster Plumbing	Strafford Arms Reserves 0 - 3 Brewster Plumbing 4 - 4 (6 - 5)P Brewster Plumbing 4 - 2

Route to the Final

SOCA	5 - 0	Chess United
SOCA	2 - 1	Excel
St Ippolyts	0 - 3	SOCA
SOCA	3 - 2	Saints
SOCA	1-1(3-1)P	UPFC

Club Profile SOCA



Club looking to celebrate its rise over the last five years with County Cup glory

SOCA were formed in 2018 by Michael Coffey and Sean McCluskey. We were voted into the Watford Sunday League and placed in Division 3 in the 2018-19 season. Over the next couple of years we have progressed up the leagues and now play in Division 1

This season has been great seeing the lads captained by Michael Coffey and managed by Frank Chamberlain and Graham Hill. We are currently sitting third in the league, six points off the leaders with three games in hand. We have also made the quarter finals of the Presidents Cup and of course finalists in the Hertfordshire FA Sunday Intermediate Cup.

The club is sponsored by the Partridge Pub whose contribution helps us pay towards the pitch fees and other costs. We are grateful for their support in enabling the team to keep playing through what are challenging financial times for many.

I'd also like to thank all the players, along with Frank, Teresa, Graham, Pauleen, Dave and Karen - without you, none of what we have already achieved would be possible. Finally I would like to say a massive thank you to Dave Moxon Secretary of the Watford Sunday league for all his help throughout the season.



League Season

Watford Sunday Football League, Division 1

As at 02/04/2023

		P	w	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Chalfont Saints	14	10	3	1	48	20	28	33
2	Watford Sports	14	8	4	2	34	23	11	28
3	SOCA FC	11	9	0	2	48	19	29	27
4	Watford United FC	16	7	4	5	34	35	-1	25
5	Old Fullerians	12	7	2	3	29	26	3	23
6	The Cross	18	6	2	10	33	22	11	20
7	CF Watford Continentals	16	5	3	8	35	39	-4	18
8	Chess United	15	4	3	8	25	47	-22	15
9	Batchworth	17	3	3	11	28	51	-23	12
10	Langleybury Cricket Club	17	3	2	12	29	61	-32	11

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Tackling Mental Health Issues

Football has an important role to play in helping people be more open about their mental well-being

Tackling the stigma, prejudice and discrimination that can be associated with mental health conditions both in sport and wider society can help save lives

The FA, along with other bodies in both football and sport, has signed the Mental Health Charter for Sport and Recreation, which is a framework setting out how sport can use its collective power to tackle mental ill-health, emphasising the benefits of an active lifestyle.

One in four people experience a mental health problem in any year, which mean there are millions of people involved in grassroots football experiencing a form of it in some way.

It is important football clubs at all levels appreciate this and know how to include people with mental health issues. The FA, along with its partners across the game, is encouraging players, coaches and officials to be confident and comfortable talking about mental health in the same way that people discuss physical injuries.

Football is a great tool in aiding recovery, helps to manage symptoms and can radically improve the quality of people's lives. Whether it is in mainstream, community football clubs, or in specialised sport and mental health projects, football can deliver massive benefits. There are three key ways that football can help:

- Improving people's mental health
- Creating social inclusion
- Helping physical health

To emphasise this, The FA has produced a 36-page mental health guide for coaches and managers in the adult game that can be downloaded below. It's been produced in partnership with Mind, and a mental health advisory group put together by The FA.

The guide has been created to help coaches and managers spot the signs of mental health problems predominantly amongst male players, give them the confidence to support and signpost to specialist help where necessary, including a 24/7 text support service.

Understanding mental health could save lives. For more information, including how to get help if you need it, or how you can support the mental well-being of your friends and team-mates, visit our website.

hertfordshirefa.com/mentalhealth



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Hertfordshire FA County Cup Finals 2024

Saturday 23rd March 10:00am Under 14 Girls Challenge Cup Won by Hertford Town Girls

Saturday 23rd March 2:30pm Under 15 Girls Challenge Cup Won by Hitchin Belles Youth

Wednesday 27th March 7:45pm Senior Centenary Trophy Won by Hoddesdon Town

Friday 29th March 3:00pm Junior Cup Won by Sarratt Reserves

Sunday 7th April 10:00am Under 18 Boys Challenge Cup Cheshunt Youth vs Harpenden Colts

Sunday 7th April 3:00pm Sunday Intermediate Cup Brewster Plumbing vs Soca

Tuesday 9th April 7:45pm* Senior Challenge Cup Berkhamsted vs St Albans City

Wednesday 10th April 7:45pm Charity Shield Tring Athletic vs Oxhey Jets

Sunday 14th April 10:00am Under 14 Boys Challenge Cup Sun Sports Youth vs Kings Langley Youth

Sunday 14th April 3:00pm Sunday Junior Cup Hertford Club De Futbol vs Northaw Res

Sunday 21st April 10:00am Under 15 Boys Challenge Cup Stags vs St Albans City Youth

Sunday 21st April 3:00pm Women's Senior Challenge Cup Royston Town vs Watford FC

Sunday 28th April 10:00am Under 16 Boys Challenge Cup Sun Sports Youth vs Hemel Aces

Sunday 28th April 3:00pm Sunday Senior Cup WD Bushey vs Strafford Arms

Saturday 4th May 10:00am Under 16 Girls Challenge Cup Finalists to be confirmed

Saturday 4th May 3:00pm Under 18 Girls Challenge Cup Garston Ladies Junior vs Oaklands Wolves

Date to be confirmed Women's Trophy Colney Heath vs Stevenage FC Development

Date to be confirmed* Charity Cup Potters Bar Town v St Albans City

Date to be confirmed Intermediate Cup Finalists to be confirmed

* All finals to be played at The County Ground, Letchworth, with the exception of the Senior Cup which is to played at Top Field in Hitchin and the Charity Cup for which the venue is still to be confirmed

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Jordan Austin
Bradley Bridges
Micah Burton
Harry Chamberlin
Conor Chapman
Kane Clifford
Michael Coffey
George Coffey
Stevie Dowling
Liam Evans
Alex Hill
Jake Howell
Charlie King
Frank Kusta
Leon Mason
Scott Monaghan
Calvin Monaghan
Simeon Owen
Reece Sutton

Manager:	Stuart Hall			
	Steve Rixon, Nik Sabitini			
Colours:	Yellow Shirts, Black Shorts, Black Socks			

Manager:	Frank Chamberlain
Assistant:	Graham Hill
Colours:	White Shirt, White Shorts, White Socks

Referee: Thomas Fogden Assistants: Richard Daly, Andrew Ruckley Fourth Official: Christopher Geelan