



# FINAL

## VETERANS CUP

MIDDLESEX WANDERERS A.F.C

vs

PARKFIELD YOUTH OLD BOYS VETS

@ MIDDLESEX FA HQ  
SUNDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2021  
KICK-OFF: 11.00AM

# WELCOME

Good Morning and Welcome to Rectory Park for this the eighth Middlesex FA Cup Final of the 2020/2021 season which sees Middlesex Wanderers take on Parkfield Youth Old Boys Vets for the Middlesex FA Veterans Cup.

On behalf of everyone here at Middlesex FA, I'd like to start by congratulating both teams on reaching today's final. This year's competition had to be completed in a 2-month window following the restart of football on 29th March. I would like to thank everyone for their co-operation in making it possible to hold this competition. It is also great to welcome fans back for this final, we hope that you enjoy the game.

We congratulate our match officials who have been selected for this prestigious appointment in recognition of their work during the season and their commitment to Middlesex Football.

Finally, enjoy the match and thank you for attending to support your team. If you have any problems during the game, please do speak to a Middlesex FA official.



**Leigh O'Connor**  
Chief Executive  
Middlesex FA

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Thanks to our resident reporter, Jim Taylor, a match report will be available to view after today's match.



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## VETERANS CUP 2020/2021

### Previous winners

- 1992-93** Norsemen FC
- 1993-94** Drayton Nomads
- 1994-95** Northwood
- 1995-96** Drayton Nomads
- 1996-97** Drayton Nomads
- 1997-98** Drayton Nomads
- 1998-99** Drayton Nomads
- 1999-00** Technicolor Cav
- 2000-01** Wembley Veterans
- 2001-02** Technicolor Cav
- 2010-11** Bedfont Sunday Vets
- 2011-12** North Greenford United
- 2012-13** Bedfont Sunday
- 2013-14** Old Salvatorians
- 2014-15** Bristish Airways
- 2015-16** Bushey Sports Club Vets
- 2016-17** Colney Heath
- 2017-18** Middlesex Wanderers
- 2018-19** Middlesex Wanderers

### CURRENT HOLDERS

Middlesex Wanderers & Jamrock Vets hold a trophy share following last seasons cancelled final due to Covid.

### Road to the final

#### MIDDLESEX WANDERERS

##### First Round

Middlesex Wanderers **4**

Feltham United Vets **3**

##### Second Round

BYE

##### Quarter-Final

Middlesex Wanderers **13**

West London Vets **0**

##### Semi-Final

West London Oldstars **0**

Middlesex Wanderers **3**

#### PARKFIELD YOUTH OLD BOYS

##### First Round

Queen Mary College Old Boys **0**

Parkfield Youth Old Boys **13**

##### Second Round

AFC Brentford Vets **2**

Parkfield Youth Old Boys **3**

##### Quarter-Final

Parkfield Youth Old Boys **5**

Jamrock Vets **2**

##### Semi-Final

London Lions Veterans (Garston Vets) **2**

Parkfield Youth Old Boys **2**

*Parkfield win 3-4 on Penalties*

### REGULAR

Middlesex Wanderers have reached this stage for the last 4 seasons.



# MIDDLESEX WANDERERS A.F.C



## Managers Notes from Eddie McCluskey

The claim that Middlesex Wanderers Football Club is one of the most important clubs in the history of world football might seem outrageous but a knowledge and understanding of its development makes it completely understandable.

The club was founded in 1905 by James Lancaster headteacher of a school in Richmond and two of his former pupils, Robert and Bob Alaway. It has three aims: to promote good fellowship among football clubs and other sporting organizations throughout the world, to send teams of British footballers on tour abroad and to play occasional football matches in the British Isles.

Since its foundation, the club has undertaken over 150 overseas tours promoting and developing the game. It has played some of the greatest clubs in Europe including Valencia and Barcelona in Spain, Bayern Munich in Germany, Ajax in Holland and Fenerbahce in Turkey.

The Wanderers have also played 66 matches against full national teams including Jamaica and Trinidad in the Caribbean, Uganda, Nigeria and Kenya in Africa, India, Vietnam, South Korea and Japan whom it has played 12 times winning six, drawing 3 and losing just 3. Most recently it has played the Turks and Caicos Islands in 2017 winning both its matches.

In 2012, the club founded a Veterans XI. It, too, has been spectacularly successful. It has won and been finalists in the Ryman's Veterans Cup and, in 2016 entered the Middlesex County Veterans Cup. This is the club's 4th consecutive final. The Veterans have carried on the touring ethos of the club and played its first international fixture against Jersey Vets in 2019.

# PARKFIELD YOUTH OLD BOYS VETS



## Managers Notes from CHRIS PIGOTT

It was 2 seasons ago we decided to get back together as a Vets side after 10 years of not playing. It was a shock to the system as players struggled to stay injury free and our first season was only a few games of note. We decided to carry on to this season and I must say the team have done very well to stay in shape especially coping like all teams with the long breaks from competitive football. We have had a good run in the Middlesex cup this year beating some great sides on route, I hope the squad can battle hard for one last game this season as we have taken our hits and lost players through injury. Most notably our playmaker James Knight to a career ending knee injury in the semi-final. Well done to all involved of getting here today and I Hope everyone enjoys the day and stays safe.



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# MIDDLESEX

# WANDERERS A.F.C

Colours: Royal Blue & White

Manager: Nicky Ironton

Asst. Manager: Eddie McCluskey



VS



# PARKFIELD YOUTH OLD BOYS VETS

Colours: Red & Black

Managers: Rod Pigott & Chris Pigott

Asst. Manager: George Jones

Ed THOMPSON

Steve WARD

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Kevin BLAIR

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### Referee

Nigel Hickes

### Assistant Referee

Steven Pordes

### Assistant Referee

Merv Hughes

### Fourth Official

Brett Miller

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