

OFFICIAL MATCHDAY PROGRAMME

AFC SOLIHULL |
SILHILL



14/02/26

COUNTY CUP

4th ROUND

2:15PM KICK OFF

TUDOR GRANGE

LEISURE CENTRE

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CHAIRMAN'S WELCOME

Good afternoon and welcome to today's County Cup fixture against Silhill FC.

It's been a little while since our last competitive outing, with our 6-0 win away at Cov Alvis on 17th January the last time we took to the field in league action. That was a strong, professional performance from the group, and the challenge over the past few weeks has been maintaining sharpness and standards during a break in the schedule.

Although we haven't had competitive minutes, we did get a valuable run-out last week in a behind-closed-doors fixture against Knowle, which finished 1-1.

Knowle are currently top of MFL Division One and came into that game on the back of 20 consecutive wins, so it was an excellent test for us. I was really pleased with how the lads applied themselves – the intensity, organisation and attitude were exactly what you want to see when facing a side in that kind of form.

Today's game at Tudor Grange, on the Astro Turf surface, should hopefully suit our style of play. We want to move the ball quickly, play with tempo and be positive in possession, and the surface allows us to do that. That said, cup football is always about application and focus, and we'll need to be disciplined and clinical if we're to progress.

As always, thank you to our volunteers, sponsors and supporters for your continued backing. Your support means a great deal to everyone at the club. Let's get behind the boys this afternoon.



Up The Hounds

**Paul Woodford
Chairman, AFC Solihull**



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Coaches Corner Pre Match:

I've been looking forward to this game since the tie was drawn. Not only is it a local derby with bragging rights on the line and a step into the next round, but on a personal level, along with a few members of the squad, it's against a former team which I'm sure we all have fond memories of. I'm excited at the challenge of taking on some old friends and seeing them after the game, once we progress.

With the constant postponement of this fixture, the momentum we wanted to take from our last competitive fixture seems a long time ago. The importance and benefit of our positive performance and result against Knowle last week in the friendly will hold a lot.

Training over the past 6 weeks has been great, and the lads will know exactly what I'm after in regards to our principles and game plan. In no uncertain terms is this going to be an easy game. The lads have to come ready and be prepared to battle first and foremost, and only then, show confidence and belief in the game plan that utilises our strengths as a group and gives us the best chance of winning the game.

Manager: Joe Ballinger

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THE HOUNDS RECAP!

AFC SOLIHULL 1-1 KNOWLE



**FEBRUARY 7TH
2026**

**MATCH RECAP — AFC
SOLIHULL 1-1 KNOWLE**

After another postponement the Hounds found themselves in a behind closed doors friendly against MFL 1 league leaders Knowle which ended in a 1-1 draw.

**GOALSCORERS :
OWN GOAL**



***“STRONG
PERFORMANCE IN
A BEHIND CLOSED
DOORS FRIENDLY
AGAINST HIGH
FLYING ROBINS!”***



NEXT UP SILHILL (N)



SILHILL FC

OPPOSITION REPORT



DIVISION

MFL DIVISION 3

INFORMATION

FOUNDED: 1908
LEAGUE POSITION: 2ND
GROUND: SILHILL FOOTBALL CLUB

PREVIOUS RESULT:

27TH DECEMBER 2025
SILHILL 7-0 BNJS

SEASON FORM: 12 WINS, 2 DRAWS, 4 LOSSES



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NAME: JOE SUMMERS

AGE:25

POSITION:
CENTER MID

GO TO PRE MATCH MEAL:

"TOAST"

FAVOURITE MOMENT SO FAR FOR AFC SOLIHULL:

"WINNING BOTH GAMES"

PLAYER

Q&A

HOME OR AWAY GAMES:

"HOME"

DO YOU PLAY ANY SPORTS OTHER THAN FOOTBALL IF NOT HAVE YOU IN THE PAST:

"GOLF"

FAVOURITE MOVIE:

"SOUTHPAW"

WHAT'S THE MOST RANDOM FACT ABOUT YOU:

"LIKE THE BAGGIES"

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PLAYER OF THE MONTH

DECEMBER



SCOTT SAUNDERS



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FEBRUARY FIXTURES



SAT 14TH
NEUTRAL | 2:15PM
(CUP)



SAT 21ST
AWAY | 3:00PM
(LEAGUE)



SAT 28TH
HOME | 3:00PM
(CUP)

(FIXTURES SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

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MFL DIVISION 2



Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Northfield Town	18	16	1	1	63	17	46	49
2	Cadbury Athletic	17	12	3	2	51	12	39	39
3	Birmingham United	16	10	3	3	56	30	26	33
4	Central Ajax	16	10	2	4	38	25	13	32
5	Fairfield Villa	15	8	5	2	30	14	16	29
6	Earlwood Town	13	7	3	3	30	22	8	24
7	Paget Rangers	19	5	3	11	37	49	-12	18
8	AFC Solihull	13	4	4	5	32	25	7	16
9	Inkberrow	16	4	4	8	22	32	-10	16
10	Wake Green Amateur	14	7	3	4	28	22	6	15 *
11	Bolehall Swifts	15	4	3	8	19	33	-14	15
12	Hampton	14	3	4	7	16	29	-13	13
13	Coventrians	17	3	2	12	18	64	-46	11
14	Coventry Alvis	15	2	1	12	22	57	-35	7
15	Lane Head	16	1	1	14	13	44	-31	4

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