

MIDLANDS FOOTBALL LEAGUE DIVISION ONE

SATURDAY
1ST NOVEMBER

KINGS PARK



Photography

SAFFRON DYNAMO FC VS GORNAL ATHLETIC FC

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WELCOME TO KINGS PARK

HOME OF SAFFRON DYNAMO FC

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Welcome to Kings Park! Once you've parked on the onsite parking just off Cambridge Road, you can pay on the gate by card or cash and walk through towards the clubhouse to grab a drink or a snack at our licensed bar and relax until kickoff. You can then move over to our very well-maintained main pitch with all side spectator areas and covered stands, seating and standing. After that, enjoy the match!

£7 Adults | £4 65+ | £1 10-17s

MATCH AGAINST GORNAL ATHL FC

Welcome to Kings Park on the first day of the month as we take on Gornal Athletic on this beautiful Saturday. Today we are pitted against one of our toughest opponents yet with Gornal Athletic sitting at the top of the table for a while now and are currently on a 6 match win streak. While our odds are fairly low for this one, this could be the match we need to get back into winning ways and pick up a bit of form and no matter what, there will be some entertaining football today. So come on down, get rid of the post-halloween hangover and support your local side the first match of the month. Enjoy the match and UP THE SAFF!!

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HISTORY OF SAFFRON DYNAMO FC

The club was founded in 1963 by a group of friends playing friendly matches on Saffron Lane Recreation Field (hence the name). One of the original men was Bob King who is still with the club to this day and is now the treasurer/secretary.

In 1976 the club moved to Cambridge Road where they initially rented a pitch from Wellington Vics. With the demise of the Vics in 1984 the ground was purchased by SDFC.

In 1994 SDFC joined the Leicestershire Senior League and over time had steadily built up its youth teams, now operating all the way from U5's to U18's.

In 2011 the club secured funding to build a new clubhouse. More recently a 7v7 state of the art 3G pitch has been installed and the first team secured promotion to the United Counties League having finished runners up in the Leicestershire Senior League in the 2018/19 season.

They are now playing in the Midlands Football League Division One which is Step 6 in the National League System.

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HISTORY OF THE OPPOSITION

GORNAL ATHLETIC FC

Founded in 1945 as Lower Gornal Athletic, the club joined the Worcestershire Combination, finishing bottom in 1954–55. They moved to the West Midlands (Regional) League in 1963, and when a second division was added in 1965, they became members of the Premier Division.

Renamed Gornal Athletic in 1972, the club were relegated to Division One in 1979–80 after finishing near the bottom two years running. They finished Division One runners-up in 1983–84 and again in 1993–94, earning promotion back to the Premier Division.

Relegated in 2002–03, Gornal immediately bounced back by winning Division One South the next season and later finished second in the Premier Division in 2005–06. Their biggest success came in 2011–12, when they were Premier Division champions and promoted to the Midland Alliance.

After relegation in 2013–14 and again in 2016–17, the club competed in Division One until 2023–24, when they finished runners-up and earned promotion to Division One of the Midland League.

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LEAGUE TABLE

AS OF 12:00 01/11/2025

POS	TEAM	P	W	D	L	GD	PTS
1	Gornal Athletic	18	15	2	1	35	47
2	Sutton United	18	15	1	2	27	46
3	Knowle	15	13	1	1	38	40
4	Heather St. Johns	18	12	1	5	23	37
5	AFC Bridgnorth	18	9	5	4	12	32
6	Birstall United	18	9	5	4	11	32
7	Birmingham OJM	18	10	2	6	11	32
8	Bilston Town	18	9	4	5	19	31
9	Leicester St. Andrews	17	9	3	5	11	30
10	AFC North Kilworth	20	8	6	6	-1	30
11	Stapenhill	18	7	4	7	-6	25
12	Saffron Dynamo	18	6	2	10	-25	20
13	Smethwick Rangers	18	5	4	9	-4	19
14	Chelmsley Town	15	4	6	5	-2	18
15	Lutterworth Athletic	18	5	2	11	-18	17
16	Ingles	18	4	4	10	2	16
17	Wednesfield Community	17	4	3	10	-15	15
18	Kirby Muxloe	18	3	6	9	-23	15
19	Cradley Town	18	4	2	12	-23	14
20	Nuneaton Griff	16	3	4	9	-5	13
21	Coventry Copsewood	16	4	1	11	-11	13
22	Allexton & New Parks	18	0	2	16	-56	2



SDFC FIXTURES

DATE	TIME	TEAM	H/A	COMP
08/11/25	15:00	SMETHWICK RANGERS	A	MFL
15/11/25	15:00	STAPENHILL	H	MFL
22/11/25	15:00	SUTTON UNITED	A	MFL
29/11/25	15:00	LUTTERWORTH ATHLETIC	H	MFL
06/12/25	15:00	HEATHER ST.JOHN'S	H	MFL
13/12/25	15:00	CHELMSLEY TOWN	A	MFL

GAFC FIXTURES



COMP	H/A	TEAM	TIME	DATE
MFL	H	CRADLEY TOWN	15:00	15/11/25
MFL	A	BIRSTALL UNITED	15:00	22/11/25
MFL	H	LEICESTER ST ANDREWS	15:00	29/11/25
MFL	H	NUNEATON GRIFF	15:00	06/12/25
MFL	A	KIRBY MUXLOE	19:45	09/12/25
MFL	A	KNOWLE	15:00	13/12/25



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