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WELCOME TO TINSLEY LANE

A WORD FROM THE MANAGER

Good afternoon and welcome to Tinsley Lane. Welcome to the Players, Management team, Committee and Fans of Wick Football Club who have travelled today. Also a huge welcome back to the loyal Frow Fans!

I'd like to place on record my thanks to both Tim Penlington and Dean Blackmore for the work they put into the squad from Pre Season until their departure last week.

We look to bounce back from our loss last weekend, a game in which the scoreline flatters the winners as it was far from a 6-2 game. A frantic end to end game which definitely gave the fans value for money. Today's match will certainly be a challenge as it always is. We've had some great matches against Wick over the last couple of seasons, but with a strong performance we will look to take our record against them to 3 wins out of 6

A huge thanks again to those helping the club on a match day, your support each week is what keeps the club moving forward.

Hope you all enjoy the game, UP THE FROW!!

Elliot Benton
Manager



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TODAY'S OPPONENTS

WICK FC



Wick became founding members of the West Sussex Football League in 1896, joining the Junior Division. Wick joined Division Two of the Sussex County League in 1964–65 and then spent the next eighteen seasons in Division Two, eventually winning promotion in 1983 after finishing as champions. They then spent three seasons in Division One before being relegated, but bounced back the following season (1985–86) after winning Division Two for a second time.

From then until the end of the 2002–03 season, Wick were ever-present in Division One of the County League, winning the League Challenge Cup in 1987–88.

In 1989–90 they lifted the Division One title, as well as the RUR Charity Cup.[2] In 1992–93 they won the Sussex Senior Cup for the only time, beating Oakwood at the Goldstone Ground, 3–1. The 1993–94 season they won the championship for the second time, finishing 14 points clear of runners-up Whitehawk.

The league cup was won in the 1996–97 season and finished runners-up to Burgess Hill Town. The following season under manager Jimmy Quinn, Wick finished third in the League, but reached the semi-finals of the Senior Cup, and won the RUR charity Cup, which they retained in the following 1998–99 season.

In 2000–01, the club finish third, but two seasons later in the 2002–03 campaign the club was relegated to Division Two.

The club finished as runners-up to Crowborough Athletic in 2004–05 to move back into the top division of the Sussex league.

Carl Stabler joined as manager in 2006–07 with the remit of rising Wick Football Club out of the County League and after 3 seasons stepped up to Chairman and handed over the reins of the football side of the club to manager Vic Short.

Prior to the 2013–14 season, they merged with near neighbours Barnham and to become members of the Southern Combination Football League Premier Division.

However, the clubs split again at the end of the 2015–16 season, with Wick taking the place of the first team in the Southern Combination Football League Premier Division.[6] The following season saw them relegated to Division One for the 2017–18 season.

The club appointed David Phillips as chairman and in March 2020 a new committee was formed which has seen great improvements made both on and off the pitch led by Matt Lander Secretary, Terry Doyle Football Chairman, Lee Baldwin First Team Manager and Warren Pye Assistant Manager. The 22/23 season was even more successful both on and off the pitch with the club making the league playoffs but losing to Epsom & Ewell in the final.

SCFL DIVISION ONE TABLE

POS		P	W	D	L	F	A	GD	PTS
1	Roffey	12	10	1	1	48	10	38	31
2	Dorking Wanderers B	13	9	2	2	36	13	23	29
3	Worthing United	11	7	3	1	24	10	14	24
4	Godalming Town	12	7	2	3	22	10	12	23
5	Seaford Town	11	7	0	4	32	19	13	21
6	Montpelier Villa	12	6	1	5	23	25	-2	19
7	Forest Row	12	6	0	6	26	22	4	18
8	Chessington & Hook United	11	5	3	3	22	26	-4	18
9	Alfold	12	5	1	6	22	28	-6	16
10	Arundel	11	4	3	4	19	12	7	15
11	Selsey	11	4	3	4	14	20	-6	15
12	Wick	11	4	2	5	25	27	-2	14
13	Billingshurst	12	3	2	7	24	30	-6	11
14	Copthorne	12	3	2	7	26	40	-14	11
15	Banstead Athletic	10	3	1	6	16	24	-8	10
16	Mile Oak	11	2	3	6	12	25	-13	9
17	Oakwood	11	2	0	9	9	30	-21	6
18	East Preston	11	1	1	9	9	38	-29	4

CURRENT FROW PLAYER STATS

PLAYER	POSITION	APPS	GOALS
Adam Dawes	Midfielder	346	34
George Holah	Midfielder	263	126
Kieran Jackson	Defender	207	6
Alex Evans	Defender	200	9
Callum Duckworth	Defender	184	22
Will Irwin	Defender	177	17
Ollie Monnery	Forward	164	38
Elliot Benton	Midfielder	152	19
Matt Burroughs	Midfielder	147	37
Sam Stewart	Defender	130	7
Ben Abbott	Goalkeeper	86	0
Steve Major	Forward	42	1
Freddie Lines	Midfielder	33	1
Joey Bedford	Forward	28	3
Luca Intelligenza	Midfielder	26	0
Tom Green	Defender	14	2
Jake Horn	Midfielder	13	1
Olly Moore	Goalkeeper	12	0
Dave Major	Midfielder	12	1
Aaron Hunt	Defender	8	0
Kevin Wokabi	Forward	4	1
Henry Chandler	Midfielder	6	0
Callum Downer	Midfielder	8	0
Jacob King	Defender	4	0
Louie Erorokritos	Goalkeeper	2	0
Des Sambouang	Defender	3	0



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FOREST ROW

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Louie Erorokritos
Kieran Jackson
Aaron Hunt
Jack Cousins
Jacob King
Henry Chandler
Alex Evans
Tom Green
Matt Burroughs
Elliot Benton
Luca Intelligenza
Jake Horn
Adam Dawes
Dave Major
George Holah
Ollie Monnery
Callum Downer
Steve Major

Manager: Elliot Benton
Head Coach: Tom Clingo
GK Coach: Aaron Stevens
S&C Coach: Matt Burroughs
Physio: George Hopkins
Yoga Coach: Adam Dawes
Player Liason: Brett Caiger

Match Coordinator: Alan Evans
Match Coordinator: Pete Dawes



WICK FC

Keelan Belcher
Rhys Rawlings
Jack Bingham
George Bingham
Jake Hawker
Nathan Hawker
Aaron Tester
Ryan Barratt
Josh Irish
Ben Gray
Liam Conolly
Sam Hack
Sam Conolly
Harry Williams
James Thurgar
Lee Newell
Harvey Bayley
Ryan Clarke
David Crouch
Alex Kew

Manager: Lee Baldwin
Assistant: Matt Lander
Assistant: Richard Hack
Assistant: Warren Pye
Medical Officer -Ellie Fowkes