

WEEKLY NEWS AND MATCH BULLETIN Season 2011/12 No 39 -:- 8th May 2012



DELIGHT for Hornchurch after beating Lowestoft 2-1 in Monday's Ryman Premier play-off final. Bognor beat Dulwich 1-0 in the South final and Enfield Town defeated Needham Market by the same score in the North. So for the first time since the League introduced play-offs the runners-up in each division have gone on to clinch promotion.

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ALL THE ACTION

By Peter Butcher – Ryman League Communications Administrator



NO HORNCHURCH substitute had scored a league goal since October. But Leon McKenzie and Michael Spencer made up for it yesterday, stepping off the bench to fire the goals which gave Urchins a 2-1 home victory over Lowestoft in the Ryman Premier play-off final.

The first 90 minutes were as tight as expected in front of a crowd of 1,411; both teams had finished the league season on 83 points. Defences were generally on top and chances were at a premium.

The hosts had the majority of possession in the first half but the clear chances fell to Lowestoft. Joe Francis headed over from close range and Chris Henderson broke clear only for his low shot to be kicked away by keeper Joe Woolley.

The game began to open up in the last 20 minutes and Lubo Guentchhev twice struck the Hornchurch bar from 20-yard range while at the other end Andy Reynolds - who had not been expected to play because of injury - pulled off a double point-blank save from Carl Rook.

In the 90th minute Frankie Curley put a powerful header straight into the arms of Reynolds, and in the final minute of added time Reynolds did well to tip over another Curley header and force an extra 30 minutes.

McKenzie had replaced Rook during added time and it was he who broke the deadlock four minutes into extra time, firing home when an attempt to block a cross teed the ball up nicely for him.

Woollley tipped over a fierce shot by Scott Mitchell as the Trawlerboys tried to respond and they levelled it in the last minute of the first period when Curley conceded a penalty and Dean Sinclair, whose spot-kick deep into added time had won the semi-final, again made no mistake. Mitchell thought he had given Lowestoft the lead in the 115th minute but Woolley somehow flung himself to his right to claw away the goalbound header.

A penalty shoot-out looked inevitable but Spencer, making his 150th appearance for Hornchurch, had other ideas. He had replaced Andy Tomlinson near the end of the first extra period and on 119 minutes he found himself in space on the left of the box before drilling his shot wide of Reynolds into the far corner.

Henderson had a chance to save the day for the visitors but he sliced his effort well wide and Urchins were soon stepping up to receive the trophy from League Chairman Alan Turvey.

The result meant that, for the first time since the league introduced play-offs, all three finals were won by the side that finished runners-up in the league.

Hornchurch will be playing in Conference South for the second time. They took part in the inaugural 2004-05 campaign but offfield problems forced them to withdraw at the end of the season. For Lowestoft it was a second successive defeat in the play-off final.



A HEADER by Walid Matata in the 17th minute made the difference as Enfield Town beat Needham Market 1-0 in Sunday's Ryman North play-off final.

Needham seemed somewhat unlucky to have a penalty claim and a goal disallowed as Town, founded as recently as June 2001, reached the Premier Division for the first time in front of 817 at the QE2 Stadium.

It was a fitting way to end what had already been a memorable season for the club, who acquired a ground of their own for the first time when they moved into the stadium in November. The game itself was somewhat flat by the standards of most Ryman play-off games, perhaps because delays caused by last week's rain meant that Enfield had played their semi-final only on Thursday and Needham's was as recently as Friday.

Both semi-finals had been gruelling extratime affairs and Enfield's had gone to a penalty shoot-out.

That match was covered in our last bulletin: Needham reached the final with a thrilling 4-3 victory at Tilbury.

It was Tilbury who scored first through skipper Gary Henty in the sixth minute and they should have stretched their lead before Sam Newson equalised with a penalty three minutes before half-time.

Substitute Duane Wright headed Needham into a 72nd-minute lead, from Newson's cross, a few moments after entering the fray but Eljay Worrell made it 2-2 13 minutes into what proved to be almost 18 minutes of added time, due to a succession of injuries.

Jack West put Tilbury ahead again five minutes into extra time but then it was over to Newson, who had scored just one goal, a penalty, in 15 previous games since a six-week injury absence.

He netted his 32^{nd} goal of the season in the 104^{th} minute to make it 3-3 and won it with his 33^{rd} in the 120^{th} minute, also completing his hat-trick.



BOGNOR made up for their bitter disappointment of a year earlier, when they missed the title by a single goal and lost at home to Dulwich in the play-off semi-final, by beating the same opponents in the Ryman South final to regain Premier status after a two-year absence.

Centre-back Stuart Axten headed the goal for Rocks from a 17th-minute corner in front of a Nyewood Lane crowd of 2,011, the biggest for any Ryman League game this season.

Bognor's other hero was keeper Craig Stoner.

He dived to push away a second-half penalty by Sanchez Ming to follow up his decisive save in the penalty shoot-out against Godalming in the semi-final.

	Result		
Fri	day 4 Mag	y 2012	
Ryman North play-	off semi-f	final	
Tilbury Henty 6, Worrell 90+13, J West 9	3-4 AET 95	Needham Market Newson 42 (pen), 104, 120,	243 Wright 72
Sun	iday 6 Ma	iy 2012	
Ryman North play-	off final		
Enfield Town Matata 18	1-0	Needham Market	817
Ryman South play-	off final		
Bognor Regis Town Axten 17	1-0	Dulwich Hamlet	1981
Mor	nday 7 Ma	ay 2012	
Ryman Premier pla	y-off fina	I	
AFC Hornchurch McKenzie 94, Spencer 119	2-1 AET	Lowestoft Town Sinclair 104 (pen)	1411



FINAL TABLES

			Home	9				Away	,				
RYMAN PREMIER	Р	W	D	L	F	Α	w	D	L	F	Α	Pts	GD
Billericay Town	42	13	6	2	44	21	11	7	3	38	17	85	44
AFC Hornchurch	42	11	4	6	29	13	15	0	6	39	22	82	33
Lowestoft Town	42	14	5	2	41	23	11	2	8	39	30	82	27
Wealdstone	42	12	6	3	40	21	8	9	4	36	18	75	37
Bury Town	42	<u>12</u>	<u> 6 </u>	<u>3_</u>	<u>42</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>10</u>	3	<u> 8 </u>	43	34	75	<u>30</u>
Lewes	42	12	6	3	34 32	23	9 12	4	8	21	24	73 72	8 25
Hendon	42	9 10	7 1	5 10	32 34	26 29	12	2 4	7	37 32	18 26	72	25 11
Canvey Island Cray Wanderers	42 42	9	4	8	34 33	29 31	12	4	5 6	32 41	26 24	68	19
East Thurrock United	42	10	3	8	33	26	8	4 5	8	37	24 39	62	5
Kingstonian	42	9	3	9	29	20 34	9	4	8	29	39	61	-6
Metropolitan Police	42	11	2	8	33	18	7	4	10	30	28	60	17
Wingate & Finchley	42	9	4	8	35	44	7	7	7	28	35	59	-16
Concord Rangers	42	7	6	8	39	34	9	3	9	33	32	57	6
Margate	42	9	3	9	37	29	6	6	9	29	36	54	1
Carshalton Athletic	42	7	3	11	22	26	7	7	7	26	29	52	-7
Harrow Borough	42	7	5	9	28	35	6	3	12	25	35	47	-17
Hastings United	42	6	5	10	21	24	7	3	11	22	37	47	-18
Leatherhead	42	6	3	12	21	33	5	5	11	25	29	41	-16
Aveley	42	2	6	13	20	49	3	6	12	21	39	27	-47
Tooting & Mitcham United	42	3	4	14	23	58	4	2	15	24	58	27	-69
Horsham*	42	1	2	18	18	57	2	4	15	20	48	14	-67
RYMAN NORTH	P	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	Α	Pts	GD
Leiston Enfield Town	42 42	<u>15</u> 15	<u>5</u> 4	<u>1</u> 2	<u>55</u> 53	<u>18</u> 23	<u>13</u> 12	<u>2</u> 5	<u>6</u> 4	44 43	<u>23</u> 23	<u>91</u> 90	<u>58</u> 50
		-	-		53 42	23 24			4 6	-	23 38	90 80	
Tilbury Needham Market	42 42	13 14	6 1	2 6	42 63	24 27	10 9	5 7	6 5	40 41	38 29	80 77	20 48
Grays Athletic***	42	14	4			<u>_23</u>	<u>13</u>		4		<u>29</u> 24	<u>77</u>	
Redbridge	<u>42</u> 42	10	<u>4</u> 6	<u>6_</u> 5	<u>37</u> 41	<u>2</u> 34	<u>13</u> 11	<u>4</u>	<u> </u>	<u>43</u> 39	<u>4</u> 25	73	<u>33</u> 21
Harlow Town	42	10	6	4	38	34 22	10	4	9	39	25	73	21
AFC Sudbury	42	9	5	7	30	28	11	4	6	35	29	69	8
Brentwood Town	42	9	3	9	34	23	9	5	7	24	19	62	16
Thamesmead Town	42	8	2	11	41	42	9	5	7	27	29	58	-3
Maldon & Tiptree	42	9	3	9	32	31	7	7	7	30	35	58	-4
Potters Bar Town	42	9	6	6	37	36	7	3	11	30	40	57	-9
Romford	42	9	7	5	31	31	6	5	10	33	42	57	-9
Waltham Abbey	42	7	5	9	40	39	8	5	8	39	37	55	3
Chatham Town	42	10	3	8	36	31	6	3	12	18	32	54	-9
Heybridge Swifts	42	7	3	11	24	31	8	4	9	35	33	52	-5
Waltham Forest	42	7	3	11	34	48	5	4	12	25	47	43	-36
Cheshunt	42	6	5	10	20	43	3	7	11	22	40	39	-41
Soham Town Rangers	42	6	5	10	27	39	1	8	12	28	54	34	-38
llford	42	5	4	12	24	36	3	2	16	23	49	30	-38
Ware	42	5	3	13	17	31	3	3	15	23	47	30	-38
Great Wakering Rovers	42	3	8	10	22	35	3	3	15	21	56	29	-48
RYMAN SOUTH	P	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F 39	Α	Pts	GD
Whitehawk*** Bognor Regis Town	40 40	<u>15</u> 15	<u>4</u> 5	<u>1</u> 0	<u>43</u> 57	<u>12</u> 15	<u>14</u> 11	<u>2</u> 5	4	<u> </u>	<u>14</u> 23	<u>90</u> 88	<u>56</u> 67
Dulwich Hamlet	40 40	13	4	2	38	11	12	4	4	35	23 15	86	47
Folkestone Invicta	40	12	4	4	46	25	11	3	6	36	28	76	29
Godalming Town	40	11	3	6	41	<u>25</u>	11	4	5	36	<u>28</u>	73	<u>2</u> 3
Maidstone United	40	12	3	5	34	20		4	8	34	30	67	18
Worthing	40	12	5	3	44	15	6	5	9	25	30	64	24
Hythe Town	40	10	4	6	40	26	7	4	9	22	36	59	0
Merstham	40	11	4	5	33	32	6	4	10	30	37	59	-6
Chipstead	40	9	4	7	29	23	7	4	9	30	34	56	2
Ramsgate	40	10	3	7	32	34	6	4	10	29	39	55	-12
Walton & Hersham	40	7	3	10	33	29	7	5	8	21	23	50	2
Corinthian-Casuals	40	5	7	8	30	35	7	5	8	19	28	48	-14
Eastbourne Town	40	6	5	9	22	26	5	8	7	27	37	46	-14
Walton Casuals	40	8	2	10	30	35	4	4	12	21	39	42	-23
Crawley Down	40	7	3	10	41	40	5	2	13	24	41	41	-16
		-	4	11	22	32	5	6	9	21	35	40	-24
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Faversham Town Whitstable Town	40	6	3	11	23	35	6	1	13	23	52	40	-41
Whitstable Town Sittingbourne	40 40	6 3	3 8	11 9	23 16	35 25	6 3	1 4	13 13	20	52 50	30	-39
Whitstable Town	40	6	3	11	23	35	6	1	13	-	52		

40 3 4 13 19 35 3 6 11 19 32 *One point deducted for fielding an ineligible player. ***Three points deducted for fielding an ineligible player.







RYMAN SOUTH WINNERS

WHITEHAWK

RYMAN SOUTH - PLAY OFF WINNERS

BOGNOR REGIS TOWN





Forthcoming Fixtures

Thursday May 10th, 2012

Suffolk Senior Cup Final

Bury Town (at Ipswich Town FC)

v. Lowestoft Town

Saturday, May 12th, 2012

Sussex Senior Cup Final

Crawley Down (at Brighton & Hove Albion FC)

v. Whitehawk

Facts & Figures

Best Attendances – Club by Club

Ryman Premier

1145	Billericay Town v Lowestoft Town	28.04.2012
1095	AFC Hornchurch v Billericay Town	09.04.2012
1066	Lowestoft Town v Bury Town	26.12.2011
1038	Lewes v Harrow Borough	28.04.2012
876	Wealdstone v Harrow Borough	26.12.2011
868	Bury Town v Lowestoft Town	09.04.2012

Ryman North

602	Enfield Town v Leiston	21.04.2012
517	AFC Sudbury v Needham Market	02.01.2012
455	Leiston v Potters Bar Town	01.05.2012
452	Needham Market v AFC Sudbury	29.08.2011
366	Grays Athletic v Enfield Town	28.04.2012
327	Leiston v AFC Sudbury	08.11.2011
326	Tilbury v Grays Athletic	21.01.2012

Ryman South

1279	Bognor Regis Town v Worthing	26.12.2011
1018	Folkestone Invicta v Hythe Town	26.12.2011
804	Hythe Town v Folkestone Invicta	09.04.2012
717	Dulwich Hamlet v Bognor Regis Town	14.01.2012
705	Maidstone United v Bognor Regis Town	28.04.2012
701	Worthing v Bognor Regis Town	09.04.2012

Wins Analysis (As at 8th May 2012)

Premier Division		Division One No	rth	Division One South	
Matches Played	462	Matches Played	462	Matches Played	420
Home Wins	189	Home Wins	198	Home Wins	186
(40.91 %)		(42.86 %)		(44.29 %)	
Away Wins	179	Away Wins	167	Away Wins	148
(38.74 %)		(36.15 %)		(35.24 %)	
Draws	94	Draws	97	Draws	86
(20.35 %)		(20.99 %)		(20.47 %)	
Home Goals	688	Home Goals	778	Home Goals	697
Away Goals	675	Away Goals	695	Away Goals	574
Total Goals	1363	Total Goals	1473	Total Goals	1271
Goals per game	2.95	Goals per game	3.19	Goals per game	3.03

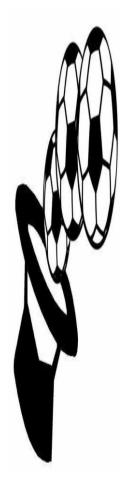
Leading Goal Scorers - League Goals Only (as at 8th May 2012)

Ryman Premier

Richard Jolly	Wealdstone	32
Sam Higgins	East Thurrock United	31
Martin Tuohy	AFC Hornchurch	27
Tony Stokes	Concord Rangers	26
Leon Smith	Wingate & Finchley	23
Kwesi Appiah	Margate	22
Tommy Whitnell	Cray Wanderers	19
Paul Vines	Carshalton Athletic	18
Bobby Traynor	Kingstonian	16
Lewis Smith	AFC Hornchurch	16

Ryman North

Liam Hope	Enfield Town	26
Alex Read	Tilbury	24
James Baker	AFC Sudbury	24
Sam Newson	Needham Market	22
James Gershfield	Potters Bar Town	21
Rhys Henry	Leiston	17
(Includes 1 league goal f	or Harlow Town)	
Gareth Heath	Leiston	17
Kurt Smith	Romford	17



Ryman South

100CDall league				
Jason Prior	Bognor Regis Town	24		
Stuart King	Folkestone Invicta	24		
Shaun Welford	Maidstone United	23		
Ryan McBride	Worthing	19		
Terry Dodd	Bognor Regis Town	19		
Frankie Sawyer	Dulwich Hamlet	17		
Roscoe Dsane	Merstham	17		
Dave Cook	Hythe Town	17		
James Fraser	Bognor Regis Town	17		
(Includes 1 league goal for Bognor Regis Town)				





Hat trick heroes

Bognor Regis Town Leiston Needham Market Ashley Robinson Leon Ottley-Gooch Sam Newson



Macron Managers of the Month for April







Ryman Premier Wealdstone FC Gordon Bartlett Ryman North Redbridge FC Terry Spillane 8 Ryman South Whitehawk Darren Freeman

Macron Team Performances of the Month for April





Ryman Premier Harrow Borough FC Ryman North Tilbury FC Ryman South Burgess Hill Town

General Information

Season 2012 / 13

Commences Saturday 18th August





Ryman Youth League Section



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Results Monday, 30th April 2012

Ryman	Central
Chipstead	

Robson 63 (pen)

1 - 3

Sutton United Hannigan 5 (og), Tyson 14, Nurse 39 Whyteleafe

Kingstonian

Postponed (Waterlogged pitch)

Tuesday, 1st May 2012

Ryman West

Hayes & Yeading United

Postponed (Waterlogged pitch)

Ashford Town (Middx)

Wednesday, 2nd May 2012

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Ryman	Central
football league	

Kingstonian Cheklit 3, Crichlow 8, 50, 72, Lumsden 60, 65, Thompson 77. Robinson 87

Ryman West

Hayes & Yeading United

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Ashford Town (Middx) Moore 42

Whyteleafe

Thursday, 3rd May 2012

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eague	••••••

Leatherhead

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Postponed (Waterlogged pitch)

Sutton United

Ryman West

Wealdstone Calvin-Pay 21 (pen), 58, Johnson 56, Bawling 60

Hayes & Yeading United 4 - 1 Samuel 84

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Monday, 7th May 2012

FETTES Lucas Fettes	Youth Cup	- Final	
Brentwood Town	0 - 3	Sutton United Wanyoni 27, 60, Salama 36	146

League Tables (As at 30th April 2012)

RYMAN CENTRAL	Р	w	D	L	F	А	Pts	GD
Kingstonian	16	12	3	1	50	10	39	+40
Woking	18	10	7	1	51	17	37	+34
Sutton United	16	10	3	3	36	20	33	+16
Chipstead	18	9	5	4	43	28	32	+15
Carshalton Athletic	17	6	5	6	31	36	23	-5
Leatherhead	16	6	0	10	23	37	18	-14
Metropolitan Police	18	5	2	11	30	48	17	-18
Walton & Hersham	18	4	4	10	29	40	16	-11
Tooting & Mitcham United	17	3	4	10	18	47	13	-29
Whyteleafe	18	4	1	13	26	54	10	-28
* Whytelea	afe FC deo	ducted th	ree points	S				
RYMAN EAST	Р	w	D	L	F	А	Pts	GD
Corinthian	14	9	5	0	37	14	32	+23
Maidstone United	14	7	2	5	32	27	23	+5
Tonbridge Angels	14	6	5	3	22	18	23	+4
Welling United	14	7	1	6	24	30	22	-6
Ashford United	14	6	2	6	26	23	20	+3
Thamesmead Town	14	5	3	6	23	29	18	-6
Bromley	14	3	1	10	24	31	10	-7
Faversham Town	14	2	3	9	17	33	9	-16
RYMAN SOUTH	Р	w	D	L	F	А	Pts	GD
Burgess Hill Town	16	12	2	2	57	27	38	+30
Lewes	16	11	2	3	55	26	35	+29
Whitehawk	16	9	3	4	48	26	30	+22
Worthing	16	7	6	3	35	25	27	+10
Horsham YMCA	16	5	3	8	37	42	18	-5
Hastings United	16	6	0	10	34	47	18	-13
Horsham	16	5	3	8	28	48	18	-20
Bognor Regis Town	16	4	2	10	26	51	14	-25
Eastbourne Town	16	2	1	13	25	53	7	-28
Burgess Hill Town v. Bognor Regis Town, 5th Match 2012 points awarded to Burgess Hill Town								
RYMAN WEST	Р	w	D	L	F	А	Pts	GD
Staines Town	16	13	2	1	52	17	41	+35
Ashford Town (Middx)	15	12	2 1	2	52 41	12	37	+35
Camberley Town	16	10	0	6	32	21	30	+23
Hayes & Yeading United	16	8	2	6	41	22	26	+19
Wingate & Finchley	16	6	1	9	28	39	19	-11
Harrow Borough	16	5	2	9	33	35	17	-2
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Wealdstone	16		2	9	32	45	17	-13
	16 15	5 2	2 3	9 10	32 18	45 44	17 9	-13 -26
Wealdstone Hampton & Richmond Borough Northwood		5						







Forthcoming Fixtures

Tuesday, 8th May 2012



Hampton & Richmond Borough

Ashford Town (Middx) v.

Wednesday, 9th May 2012

Ryman Central

Carshalton Athletic Sutton United

- **Tooting & Mitcham United** ٧.
- Kingstonian v.

Thursday, 10th May 2012

Ryman Central Leatherhead

Kingstonian v.

Monday, 14th May 2012

Central Ryman Leatherhead

Sutton United ٧.

Facts and Figures



Hat trick hero Kingstonian

Duaine Crichlow

Leading Goal Scorers - League Goals Only (as at 7th May 2012)

Fredrick Taylor	Whitehawk	17
Matthew Daniel	Whitehawk	17
Rinor Sopjani	Ashford Town (Middx)	14
Thomas Collins	Corinthian	13
Dean Brazil	Woking	13
Leyton Schaaf	Lewes	13
Luke Donaldson	Burgess Hill Town	12
Daniel Wanyoni	Sutton United	12
Joe Warner	Worthing	12



Veterans Cup



Kingstonian	7-2	Burgess Hill Town
Thamesmead Town	1-3	Middlesex Wanderers

Final

Kingstonian

4-1 Middlesex Wanderers

Women's Cup

Semi Finals

Billericay Town Lewes 1-4 Eastbourne Town2-1 Enfield Town

Final Eastbourne Town

0-3 Lewes





Ryman League Annual Dinner & Dance Weekend of 9th and 10th June 2012 Hilton Metropole Hotel, Brighton



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The League will publish their final tables next Monday with photos showing the award that the League won.







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