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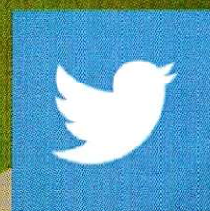
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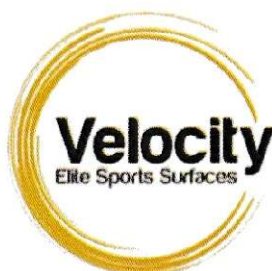
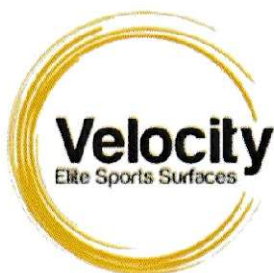
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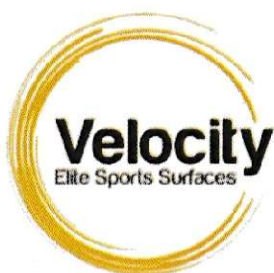




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INTRODUCING AVELEY CLUB HISTORY



AVELEY FOOTBALL CLUB was formed in 1927 and played in local leagues until 1939. Club activities were then suspended during the war years 1939/45. In 1946 the club was reformed and joined the Thurrock Combination. Aveley twice won the Essex Junior Cup, firstly in 1948, then retaining it the following year.

Aveley gained Senior League status in season 1949/50 and were elected into the London League, Division One. They were Division Champions in the 1951/52 season. In the same season they moved from Lodge Meadow to their present ground, Mill Field, and were promptly nicknamed The Millers. In season 1954/55 they were Division Champions once again which was followed by election to The Delphian League in 1955/56. They competed in this league until 1962/63 with little success.

1963/64 saw Millers join the Athenian League. Full membership of the Football Association was granted in 1964/65. Season 1970/71 was probably the clubs most successful one. The first round proper of the FA Cup was reached along with the FA Amateur Cup quarter-finals, they were also Champions of the Athenian League.

Aveley were elected to the Isthmian League in season 1973/74. Here they competed without success in Division One until they were relegated to Division Two North at the end of the 1985/86 season. Millers did however achieve two cup successes during this time. The Essex Thames-Side Challenge Trophy was won in 1979/80 and the Hornchurch Charity Cup in 1982/83.

The 1989/90 campaign was a memorable one for The Millers. Promotion back to Division One was gained with a tremendous end of season run-in to finish second to Heybridge Swifts by two points. This was followed by a 3-0 victory over Premier Division St Albans in the final of the AC Delco (League) Cup. This made Aveley the first team from the lowest division to win this competition. After this the club slipped down to Division Three and cup successes were limited to appearances in the finals of both the East Anglian Cup and the The Essex Thames-Side Challenge Trophy in 1997/98.

The 1999/2000 season started well with Aveley being un-beaten in the League at Christmas. However a turn in fortunes saw them slip and eventually finish 9th. This was followed by 6th place in season 2000/01.

A roller-coaster season 2001/02 saw the club finish third behind Hornchurch and champions Croydon Athletic and gain promotion to Division 1 North.

An excellent season for the Millers in 2002/03. Good runs in the FA Cup and Bryco Cup were capped by an appearance in the Essex Senior Cup Final. This did not go Millers way however with Chelmsford winning 5-0. The Third Qualifying Round of the FA Cup was reached, eventually losing out to Canvey Island 2-0. A good run-in saw Millers finish in sixth place in the League.

The 2003/04 campaign saw the club eventually finish in 14th place. Millers matched the previous season's performance and reached the final of the Essex Senior Cup. This time a much improved display saw them go down 3-1 to local rivals Thurrock. The final game of the season was another cup final. This time in the East Anglian Cup, and a visit to Spalding United. This also finished in a 3-1 defeat for the Millers.

2004/05 was a disappointing one for Millers first season in the Southern League, the club finishing in 15th place. Compensation however, came in the form of the Essex Thames-Side Challenge Trophy. Romford were beaten 1-0 in the final at The Mill Field. Simon Thomas scoring the only goal of the game. Another difficult season followed, on and off the pitch. Millers ended the season with their third manager, Steve Browne, steering them just clear of the relegation places. A poor League season in 2006/07 was again compensated for by winning the Essex Thames-Side Challenge Trophy for the second time in three seasons.

After a disappointing start to the 2007/08 campaign, November saw the arrival of Rod Stringer as Manager, and fortunes turned with the Millers putting a string of impressive results together to finish the season in Mid-Table. 2008/09 saw the foundations that were laid the previous season, bare its fruit as the Ryman League Division One North Championship was won on the last day of the season in dramatic fashion at East Thurrock United. In a tense finish to the season, Millers created a club record of 11 straight away league wins, and Rod Stringer was duly judged as the Manager of the Season for the Division.

2009/10 our first in the Isthmian Premier Division saw a great finish to the season, with 12 wins from the last 14 games, taking us into 3rd position and a home semi-final play-off against Boreham Wood. Unfortunately it was one step too far, and a 1-0 defeat saw the end of a fantastic season.



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During the close season Rod Stringer departed for Braintree Town, taking with him his management team, and the whole playing squad. A difficult season was endured with a last day 3-2 win at Hastings being significant as the club survived relegation by virtue of a reprieve despite finishing 4th from bottom of the table.

2011/12 was much of the same, and relegation was confirmed after a poor season. Justin Gardner took over the reins in February of 2012, and has this season assembled a strong playing squad that is currently challenging for an immediate return to the Premier Division.

2012/13 was a successful season with the team occupying a play off positions all season. Unfortunately we lost out in the semi-final at Maldon & Tiptree.

After many years of trying, the Millers were granted the green light on the 13th May 2016 allowing the club to start building as soon as possible, with Parkside due to be completed for the 2017/18 season.

In 2018/19 season, the Millers had a successful season and finished 2nd, with a month left of the season to go manager James Webster resigned and Aveley moved quickly to bring in Danny Dafter who came in with five games left and won every game to help Aveley to finish 2nd, behind Bowers & Pitsea in the Bostik North. However, that winning run ended with defeat in the Play-Off Semi Final against Heybridge Swifts, 2-0.

In preparation for the 2019/20 season Danny Dafter was appointed as full time manager.

Two games in the 2019/20 season and Danny Dafter resigned as Aveley manager, and a few weeks later he was replaced by Keith Rowland, the former West Ham United defender and Northern Ireland international.

Keith took The Millers to a historic 2019/20 which was cut short due to the Corona-Virus outbreak. Aveley made it to the Quarter Final of the FA Trophy and were second in the Isthmian North, although PPG would've seen Aveley promoted, they were denied promotion after the season was decided and later announced to be null and void.

The 2021/22 season was one to remember for Aveley Football Club, after a third of the season Manager Keith Rowland was replaced by former Concord Rangers manager Danny Scopes in October 2021.

From October 2021, Aveley went on a run of three losses for the remainder of the season and saw off strong competition from Canvey Island and Stowmarket Town to become champions of the Isthmian North for the second time in their history and promoted back to the Isthmian Premier League.

In the club's first season back in the Isthmian Premier League, they finished fourth and in the Play-Offs. In the Semi-Final they defeated Canvey Island on penalties 4-2 which was the club's first ever play-off win, setting up a local derby in the Play-Off Final against Hornchurch. A goal from Ryan Scott in the first half was the difference as The Millers were 1-0 winners and won promotion to the National South for the first time in their history.





INTRODUCING AVELEY STAFF & PLAYER PROFILES



DANNY SCOPES: MANAGER: Danny, former Concord Rangers Manager in the National South guided the Beachboys to the FA Trophy final taking on Football League side Harrogate Town in May 2021. Scopes also assisted the Cowley Brothers in Concord Rangers' rise from the Essex Senior League to the National South before coming first team manager in 2019.

GOALKEEPERS:

JONATHAN NORTH: Northy' joined the Millers from National South outfit Slough who Jonathan joined in the Summer of 2021 and made 48 appearances in all competitions, keeping 6 clean sheets in the league, and helping The Rebels to a 13th placed finish. Prior to joining the National South side Jonathan was a club legend at National League side Wealdstone where he made over 400 appearances across 10 years, earning himself a testimonial in August 2021.

DEFENDERS:

HARRY GIBBS: Central defender who first made his debut for Aveley back in 2016 in a 5-2 victory over Ware and went on to make 32 appearances in his first season with the club winning Young Player of the Year. During the 2017/18 season Harry made 5 appearances before leaving. Gibbo has also played for Brentwood Town & Hornchurch.

JON NZENGO: Jonathan Nzenzo joined The Millers midway through September 2019 after departing Romford after starting the season with National South side East Thurrock. Jon joined Romford at the beginning of the 2017/18 season and went on to make 54 appearances scoring 9 and assisting three times. His performances caught the eye of Jon Coventry who signed him on dual registration to play in the National South.

JASON RING: Jason started his career at Burnham Ramblers at the age of 16 and then had three great seasons at Great Wakering Rovers in the Isthmian North where during the 2018/19 season. Ringo joined The Millers at the beginning of the 2020/21 season and featured 11 times, winning eight of those games and only losing three before the season was cut short. Ring went on to make 31 appearances, assisting three times.

TOMMY DAVIS: Central defender who joined The Millers in the Summer of 2023 from Southend United. Davis has experience of the National South, playing on loan for Welling United and last season made a great impact for Hampton & Richmond Borough, making 23 appearances.

TOM STEPHEN: Tom Stephen joined The Millers in May 2022 after four successful years at Bowers & Pitsea, helping fellow Essex based side to the Isthmian North title in 2018/19, and a historic Emirates FA Cup run, ending in a narrow 1-0 defeat at Sky Bet League One side Lincoln City. Over his time at Bowers & Pitsea, Tom made 126 appearances, 89 of them coming in the Isthmian Premier League which will bring more experience at this level.

JALEN JONES: Joined The Millers after a standout season with Isthmian Premier League side Cray Wanderers, and was the key piece at the heart of the Cray defence to help them to a play-off place. Jones also has four caps for his national side Guyana, and has also played for Merstham, Worthing, Carshalton Athletic, Cheshunt and Braintree Town.

MIDFIELDERS:

SIJU ODEULSI: Seju Odelusi joined The Millers around mid-October and can play in a number of positions across the team, he has previously played at this level with both Hayes & Yeading United and Leiston. Siju has also represented Westfield, Northwood, Tilbury and Witham Town.

KENNY AILERU: Kenny started his career in the Aldershot Town Youth Academy set-up and featured for Clapton and Phoenix Sports. Kenny made his way up through Phoenix Sports Reserve side and made 24 appearances for the first team in the 2019/20 season scoring eight goals and was instrumental in more. Kenny joined The Millers mid-December and made 19 appearances, scoring three times and assisting a further 3 times.

GARRETT KELLY: Originally joining us at the end of the 2017/18 season, making 9 appearances and scoring one goal against away at Hornchurch. Garrett made 5 appearances the following season before departing to play football in Greece. Kelly came back to the UK, playing for Hornchurch and Heybridge Swifts before re-joining The Millers back in March 2022, making 7 appearances and scoring two vital goals away at Witham Town and Romford.



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CONNOR WITHERSPOON: Connor Witherspoon joined The Millers during the 2017/18 season for an undisclosed fee from Isthmian Premier League side Brightlingsea Regent where he helped the R's become Isthmian North Champions making 68 appearances for them. Prior to Brightlingsea Regent, Connor featured for Brentwood Town leading them to the Isthmian Premier League after winning the Isthmian North play-offs.

NANA KYEI: Nana started his youth career at Barnet and made his debut for The Bees in the football league against Crawley Town in the last game of the 2015/16 season. Kyei went on to make 20 appearances for Barney, the majority coming in Sky Bet League Two, before a couple of loan moves to Potters Bar Town, Concord Rangers and Hampton & Richmond Borough. Nana then joined Chelmsford City on a permanent after a spell at Maidstone United. After departing The Clarets Nana joined Potters Bar Town but the season was cut short due to the pandemic. The following season he joined Hungerford Town making 30 appearances in the National South scoring 6 times, with his goals coming against Dorking Wanderers, Bath City, Dulwich Hamlet, Havant & Waterlooville and St Albans City.

JON BENTON: Jon re-joined The Millers on a permanent basis after departing Southend United in the Summer of 2023. Jon originally joined Aveley on loan during the 2021/22 season where he scored 16 times and assisted a further 18 goals as he helped us to become Champions of the Isthmian North.

FORWARDS:

MANNY OGUNRINDE: Manny signed for The Millers at the beginning of the 2020/21 season from Grays Athletic and went on to make 6 appearances scoring one in the opening day winner on his debut against Dereham Town. That season was then cut short and Manny signed-on for the 2021/22 season, making 39 appearances, scoring 9 and assisting on 8 occasions.

MATT RUSH: Rush, 22, started his career at Southend United making his way through the youth ranks before making his debut during the 2019/20 season, making 7 appearances in Sky Bet League One, and then another 7 appearances in Sky Bet League Two the following season scoring the winner in a 2-1 victory over Leyton Orient at Roots Hall. The centre forward spent time on loan at Tonbridge Angels and Chelmsford City in the National South scoring for both clubs, before joining Braintree at the beginning of last season after Matt's departure from Southend United.

CHARLEE HUGHES: In the 2018/19 season, Hughes, was Brentwood's top goalscorer with 20 goals in 33 appearances, where he scored three goals in two games against Aveley. After that fantastic season, Charlee joined Maldon & Tiptree, and was then The Jammers top scorer with 30 goals in 45 games, helping his side to a victory at Leyton Orient in the Emirates FA Cup, before just losing 1-0 to Newport County at home. That fantastic form helped Charlee get a move to National League side Wealdstone, where he made 14 appearances and scored against Woking, during a pandemic hit season. Charlee then moved to Hemel Hempstead in 2021/22 in December where he scored 6 in his first 8 games against St Albans, Bath City, Ebbsfleet, Tonbridge Angels, Hungerford, Billericay, and added a couple more against Chelmsford and Hampton & Richmond totalling 8 goals in 18 appearances. Last season Charlee missed a large chunk of the middle of the campaign due to injury, but came back with a bang with 4 goals in 5 starts to help The Tudors to a comfortable mid-table finish.

LIONEL AINSWORTH: Lionel, 35, started his career at Derby County and made his debut in a 1-0 victory over Plymouth Argyle in the Sky Bet Championship. Lionel went on to play on loan at AFC Bournemouth, Halifax Town, where he scored his first senior goal against York City, and then Wycombe Wanderers in League Two.

ALEX HERNANDEZ: Alex, 20, has spent the last few seasons competing in the Vanarama National South, and was also part of Manager Danny Scopes' FA Trophy Final squad in 2020, where the Beachboys were defeated by Sky Bet League Two side Harrogate Town 1-0. The forward has also had a spell on loan at East Thurrock United where he made seven appearances and found the back of the net against Coggeshall Town, Bury Town and Hullbridge Sports.





INTRODUCING CONCORD RANGERS CLUB HISTORY



Concord Rangers was officially formed in 1967 by Albert Lant, and originated from a team of boys (including Albert's son Steve) that played friendly matches during 1966 on a pitch along the Canvey Island seafront close to the Concord Beach, hence the name Concord Rangers.

They are therefore quite possibly the only English football team to be specifically named after a beach. The club initially joined the Thundermite Boys' Football League in 1967, with Albert Lant as manager, before progressing into the Vange and District League in 1973, where the club won several league and cup honours in a six-year period before joining the Mid-Essex League for the 1979-80 season - the club's first foray into Saturday football. At that time fixtures were played at Waterside Farm, on Canvey Island.

The 1978-79 season saw Concord Rangers become the inaugural winners of the Essex Sunday Junior Trophy, defeating Bishop's Park 4-0 in a game played at Tiptree United. It was not until 1985 that the club secured land in Thames Road, to initially develop the clubhouse and stadium.

In 1988, the club joined the Essex Intermediate League Division Two, where they stayed for three seasons, winning the title in 1990-91 on goal difference and gaining promotion to the Essex Senior League.

Concord spent 17 seasons in the Senior League, winning the title three times in that period (1997-98, 2003-04, 2007-08), with the 2007-08 championship win under the joint-management team of Danny Cowley and Danny Scopes seeing the club gaining promotion to the Isthmian League.

The 2007-08 Essex Senior League winning season was the club's 40th anniversary year, and also saw the team win the Gordon Brasted Memorial Trophy, reach the final of the Essex Senior League Cup, and also reach the quarter finals of the FA Vase, in which they lost 1-0 to Lowestoft Town.

The "Beach Boys" reached the play-off final in their first season (2008-09) in the Isthmian League Division One North, but lost 5-4 on penalties to Waltham Abbey. Despite being touted as having hugely over-performed in their debut season at this level, the team once again reached the play-off final in the 2009-10 season, this time emerging as winners, defeating Enfield Town 3-1 in front of a crowd of 752 at Thames Road, to gain promotion to the Isthmian League Premier Division.

Concord had an impressive start to life at Premier Division level, finishing in eighth place in 2010-11, but this was followed by a lower 14th-place position for 2011-12, before a resurgent 2012-13 campaign saw the team reach the Premier Division play-offs, where they beat Wealdstone 2-1 away from home in the semi-finals, followed by a 2-1 away win at Lowestoft Town in front of a crowd of 2,490, to see the Beach Boys earn promotion to the Conference South for the first time in their history.

The Beach Boys were also winners of the Isthmian League Cup for 2012-13, with a 3-2 victory after extra time over Dulwich Hamlet at Maidstone United's Gallagher Stadium.

2013-14 saw Concord have a successful inaugural season at Conference South level, finishing in ninth position, and also winning their first ever Essex Senior Cup, defeating higher-ranked opposition Braintree Town 2-1 at Dagenham & Redbridge's Victoria Road ground.

2014-15 was also another successful season for The Beach Boys, and included many firsts for the club. The club reached the first round proper of the FA Cup for the first time in their history, eventually losing 1-0 at home to League Two side Mansfield Town in a replay, after Jordan Chiedozie's goal had seen the sides draw 1-1 in the initial tie.

In the league, the team improved on the previous season's ninth-place finish by securing seventh place, and also retained the Essex Senior Cup with a 5-0 victory over Billericay Town in the final, again played at Dagenham & Redbridge, and by doing so became the first team in 15 years to win consecutive Essex Senior Cups.

At the end of the 2014-15 season, long-serving manager Danny Cowley departed the club to become first team manager at National League side Braintree Town, having won three promotions and three cups since his appointment in 2007-08; in the process becoming the most successful manager in the club's history.



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His younger brother, and assistant manager Nicky Cowley also moved to Braintree to take up the post of assistant manager having made 268 appearances for the club as a player, the majority as club captain,[18] before making the switch to a coaching role in late 2014.

Adam Flanagan, a former Concord player – was appointed ahead of the 2015-16 season to succeed Danny Cowley,[20] joining the Beach Boys from Brentwood Town whom he had just guided to promotion from the Isthmian League Division One North via the play-offs, with an impressive 5-0 win over Thurrock in the play-off final.

In 2015-16, Concord retained the Essex Senior Cup during Flanagan's first season in charge beating Heybridge Swifts 1-0 in the final at Dagenham and Redbridge's Victoria Road ground, and in doing so became the first team to win the cup three years in succession for 50 years.

This Essex Senior Cup win meant Flanagan joined only a small group of people who have lifted the trophy as both a player and manager; having also won the competition with Billericay Town in the 2010-11 season.

It was announced on 26 April 2018 that Adam Flanagan would leave his post as first team manager after 3 seasons in the role, with assistant manager & first team coach Glen Alzapiedi also departing following a 17th-placed finish that secured a 4th consecutive season of National League South football for 'The Beachboys'. Under Flanagan's reign, the side finished 10th, 18th, and 17th in the National League South, and reached the FA Cup 4th qualifying round in 2017-18, eventually bowing out to higher-division opposition Woking in a replay.

On 2 May 2018, the club confirmed the appointment of former Leatherhead player/manager Sammy Moore as the successor to Adam Flanagan, with Jack Midson – a former teammate of Moore's at AFC Wimbledon and also his player/assistant at Leatherhead as assistant manager, with Darren Beale also joining as first team coach.

It was then announced on 18 May 2018 that Miki Hood, who had been part of the club's staff under both Danny Cowley and Adam Flanagan would take on the role of assistant first team coach to complete the club's new-look management team

The club reached the final of the 2019-20 FA Trophy, losing 0-1 to Harrogate Town in a final played in May 2021 due to the COVID-19 pandemic. On 10 May 2021, following the final defeat, Antony Smith stepped down from his role as chairman after twenty one years in the role. A day later, manager Danny Scopes also resigned from his position, with Lee Minshull resigning from his position of assistant manager on 14 May 2021.

After a poor start to the 2022/23 season, and a winless run throughout September and October, the decision was made between both the club and Chris Search to make a change in management. As November was about to get under way, former Concord player and Bowers manager Rob Small took the reigns at Thames Road, with the aim being to secure the Beachboys place in the National League South for another year. Fixture congestion played a factor towards the end of the season however, and ultimately the Beachboys were relegated back into the Isthmian Premier Division.

The summer then meant it was a time to rebuild, and former Beachboys player Sammy Collins was appointed as first team manager, bringing in an almost entirely new squad which included a number of familiar faces from his time as a player.



ISTHMIAN PREMIER LEAGUE TABLE 2022/23

Pos	Team	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	Pts	Promotion, qualification or relegation
1	Bishop's Stortford (C, P)	42	27	7	8	75	33	+42	88	Promotion to the National League North
2	Hornchurch	42	25	9	8	98	49	+49	84	Qualification for the play-offs
3	Canvey Island	42	24	9	9	80	44	+36	81	
4	Aveley (O, P)	42	23	9	10	64	42	+22	78	Promotion to the National League South
5	Cray Wanderers	42	20	14	8	78	48	+30	74	Qualification for the play-offs
6	Lewes	42	20	14	8	82	54	+28	74	
7	Horsham	42	20	12	10	84	57	+27	72	
8	Hastings United	42	20	11	11	63	42	+21	71	
9	Enfield Town	42	19	12	11	73	49	+24	69	
10	Billericay Town	42	19	8	15	66	59	+7	65	
11	Carshalton Athletic	42	18	10	14	53	53	0	64	
12	Folkestone Invicta	42	18	5	19	73	65	+8	59	
13	Potters Bar Town	42	16	5	21	56	86	-30	53	
14	Bognor Regis Town	42	15	7	20	70	72	-2	52	
15	Haringey Borough	42	13	12	17	67	75	-8	51	
16	Wingate & Finchley	42	12	12	18	53	64	-11	48	
17	Margate	42	11	11	20	48	65	-17	44	
18	Kingstonian	42	10	9	23	43	77	-34	39	
19	Bowers & Pitsea (R)	42	8	9	25	44	78	-34	33	Relegation to Division One North
20	Herne Bay (R)	42	8	9	25	60	101	-41	33	Relegation to Division One South East
21	Corinthian-Casuals (R)	42	7	5	30	37	87	-50	26	Relegation to Division One South Central
22	Brightlingsea Regent (R)	42	5	9	28	41	108	-67	24	Relegation to Division One North



AVELEY FIXTURES 2023/24

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FIXTURES 2023-24



AUGUST

SAT	AUG	5	CHIPPENHAM TOWN	A
SAT	AUG	12	TAUNTON TOWN	H
MON	AUG	14	EASTBOURNE BOROUGH	H
SAT	AUG	19	WORTHING	A
SAT	AUG	26	DARTFORD	H
MON	AUG	28	HAMPTON & RICHMOND BOROUGH	H

SEPTEMBER

SAT	SEP	2	TORQUAY UNITED	H
TUE	SEP	5	MAIDSTONE UNITED	A
SAT	SEP	9	SLOUGH TOWN	A
SAT	SEP	16	FA CUP 2ND QUALIFYING ROUND	
SAT	SEP	23	BRAINTREE TOWN	H
SAT	SEP	30	FA CUP 3RD QUALIFYING ROUND	

OCTOBER

SAT	OCT	7	YEOVIL TOWN	A
SAT	OCT	14	WELLING UNITED	H
SAT	OCT	21	TRURO CITY	H
WED	OCT	25	HAVANT & WATERLOOVILLE	A
SAT	OCT	28	ST ALBANS CITY	A

NOVEMBER

SAT	NOV	4	WESTON-SUPER-MARE	H
MON	NOV	6	HEMEL HEMPSTEAD TOWN	H
SAT	NOV	11	BATH CITY	A
MON	NOV	13	CHELMSFORD CITY	H
SAT	NOV	18	FA TROPHY 2ND ROUND	
TUE	NOV	21	TONBRIDGE ANGELS	A
SAT	NOV	25	WEYMOUTH	A

DECEMBER

SAT	DEC	2	FARNBOROUGH	H
SAT	DEC	9	FA TROPHY 3RD ROUND PROPER	
SAT	DEC	16	BRAINTREE TOWN	A
SAT	DEC	23	SLOUGH TOWN	H
TUE	DEC	26	DOVER ATHLETIC	A
SAT	DEC	30	DOVER ATHLETIC	H

JANUARY

SAT	JAN	6	WELLING UNITED	A
SAT	JAN	13	YEOVIL TOWN	H
SAT	JAN	20	CHIPPENHAM TOWN	H
TUE	JAN	23	EASTBOURNE BOROUGH	A
SAT	JAN	27	TAUNTON TOWN	A

FEBRUARY

SAT	FEB	3	WORTHING	H
SAT	FEB	10	DARTFORD	A
SAT	FEB	17	HAMPTON & RICHMOND BOROUGH	A
MON	FEB	19	MAIDSTONE UNITED	H
SAT	FEB	24	TORQUAY UNITED	A

MARCH

SAT	MAR	2	CHELMSFORD CITY	A
SAT	MAR	9	WEYMOUTH	H
MON	MAR	11	TONBRIDGE ANGELS	H
SAT	MAR	16	FARNBOROUGH	A
SAT	MAR	23	ST ALBANS CITY	H
FRI	MAR	29	HEMEL HEMPSTEAD TOWN	A

APRIL

MON	APR	1	HAVANT & WATERLOOVILLE	H
SAT	APR	6	TRURO CITY	A
SAT	APR	13	WESTON-SUPER-MARE	A
SAT	APR	20	BATH CITY	H

SAT	SEP 12	2ND QUALIFYING
SAT	SEP 30	3RD QUALIFYING
SAT	OCT 14	4TH QUALIFYING
SAT	NOV 4	1ST ROUND
SAT	DEC 2	2ND ROUND
SAT	JAN 6	3RD ROUND
SAT	JAN 27	4TH ROUND
SAT	FEB 28	5TH ROUND
SAT	MAR 16	QUARTER FINAL
SAT	APR 20	SEMI FINAL
SAT	MAY 25	FINAL

SAT	NOV 25	2ND ROUND
SAT	DEC 9	3RD ROUND
SAT	JAN 13	4TH ROUND
SAT	FEB 10	5TH ROUND
SAT	MAR 9	QUARTER FINAL
SAT	APR 6	SEMI FINAL
SAT/SUN	MAY 11/12	FINAL



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VANARAMA NATIONAL SOUTH TABLE 2022/23

Pos	Team	[V•T•E]	Pld	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	Pts	Promotion, qualification or relegation
1	Ebbsfleet United (C, P)		46	32	7	7	110	47	+63	103	Promotion to National League
2	Dartford		46	25	8	13	82	50	+32	83	Qualification for the National League South play-off semi-finals
3	Oxford City (O, P)		46	21	15	10	83	56	+27	78	
4	Worthing		46	22	12	12	92	72	+20	78	Qualification for the National League South play-off quarter-finals
5	Chelmsford City		46	23	9	14	67	49	+18	78	
6	St Albans City		46	22	9	15	72	51	+21	75	
7	Braintree Town		46	20	14	12	66	55	+11	74	
8	Eastbourne Borough		46	22	5	19	74	66	+8	71	
9	Tonbridge Angels		46	20	10	16	68	69	-1	70	
10	Havant & Waterlooville		46	19	12	15	80	70	+10	69	
11	Bath City		46	19	10	17	64	57	+7	67	
12	Farnborough		46	19	9	18	59	52	+7	66	
13	Chippenham Town		46	15	17	14	57	66	-9	62	
14	Taunton Town		46	17	10	19	50	55	-5	61	
15	Hemel Hempstead Town		46	15	15	16	49	57	-8	60	
16	Welling United		46	15	14	17	57	63	-6	58 ^[a]	
17	Hampton & Richmond Borough		46	15	9	22	59	71	-12	54	
18	Slough Town		46	13	12	21	58	78	-20	51	
19	Weymouth		46	14	6	26	59	78	-19	48	
20	Dover Athletic		46	12	12	22	42	68	-26	48	
21	Dulwich Hamlet (R)		46	13	9	24	61	89	-28	48	Relegation to the Isthmian League
22	Concord Rangers (R)		46	12	8	26	45	85	-40	44	
23	Cheshunt (R)		46	11	10	25	48	74	-26	43	
24	Hungerford Town (R)		46	10	10	26	48	72	-24	40	Relegation to the Southern Football League



CONCORD RANGERS FIXTURES 2023/24

VANARAMA NATIONAL SOUTH

FIXTURES 2023-24



AUGUST

SAT 12	ENFIELD TOWN	A
TUE 15	HASHTAG UNITED	H
SAT 19	MARGATE	H
SAT 26	HASTINGS UNITED	A
MON 28	CANVEY ISLAND	H

SEPTEMBER

SAT 2	FA CUP 1QR	
SAT 9	CARSHALTON ATHLETIC	A
SAT 16	CRAY WANDERERS	H
SAT 23	DULWICH & HAMLET	A
SAT 30	FOLKESTONE INVICTA	H

OCTOBER

SAT 7	FA TROPHY 3QR	
SAT 14	BOGNOR REGIS TOWN	A
SAT 21	CHATHAM TOWN	H
TUE 24	HARINGEY BOROUGH	A
SAT 28	HORNCHURCH	H

NOVEMBER

SAT 4	KINGSTONIAN	A
SAT 11	POTTERS BAR TOWN	H
SAT 18	WHITEHAWK	A
SAT 25	HORSHAM	H

DECEMBER

SAT 2	LEWES	H
SAT 9	CHESTHUNT	A
SAT 16	WINGATE & FINCHLEY	A
TUE 26	BILLERICAY TOWN	H
SAT 30	HASTINGS UNITED	H

JANUARY

MON 1	CANVEY ISLAND	A
SAT 6	ENFIELD TOWN	H
SAT 13	MARGATE	A
SAT 20	HORNCHURCH	A
SAT 27	KINGSTONIAN	H
TUE 30	HARINGEY BOROUGH	H

FEBRUARY

SAT 3	POTTERS BAR TOWN	A
SAT 10	CRAY WANDERERS	A
SAT 17	DULWICH & HAMLET	H
SAT 24	FOLKESTONE INVICTA	A

MARCH

SAT 2	BOGNOR REGIS TOWN	H
SAT 9	CHATHAM TOWN	A
SAT 16	CHESTHUNT	H
SAT 23	LEWES	A
SAT 30	CARSHALTON ATHLETIC	H

APRIL

MON 1	BILLERICAY TOWN	A
SAT 6	WINGATE & FINCHLEY	H
SAT 13	HASHTAG UNITED	A
SAT 20	WHITEHAWK	H
SAT 27	HORSHAM	A



PARTNERS WITH
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*Subject to change due to our participation in the Emirates FA Cup and Izziti FA Trophy





AVELEY VS CONCORD RANGERS HEAD TO HEAD - THROWBACK



**2008/2009
MILL FIELD**



AVELEY 2-1 CONCORD RANGERS



ISTHMIAN NORTH



AVELEY VS CONCORD RANGERS HEAD TO HEAD



Team	Concord Rangers	Aveley
Played	6	6
Win	1	3
Draw	2	2
Lose	3	1
Score	8:8	8:8
Goals Scored	1.33	1.33
Goals Allowed	1.33	1.33

ESSEX SENIOR CUP THIRD ROUND CONCORD RANGERS (4) 1-1 (2) AVELEY

Concord Rangers	Tuesday 22nd November 2022	Aveley
Mitch Beeney Ben Search Harvey Beckett Ryan Blackman James Blanchfield Mohamed Bettamer Nana Kyei Jack Davies Jimmy Wallace Saleem Akanbi Alex Hernandez D'Sean Theobalds Tosan Poppo Renei Batlokwa Josh Tuansaam	<div> <div>Concord Rangers</div> <div>1</div> <div></div> </div> <div> <div>Aveley</div> <div>1</div> <div></div> </div> <p>Concord Rangers win 4-2 on penalties</p> <p>Essex Senior Cup Third Round Kick-off: 7.45pm Venue: The Aspect Arena</p> <div> <div>Info</div> <div>Videos</div> <div></div> </div> <p>Match Information</p> <p>Concord Rangers win 4-2 on penalties</p> <p>Full-time: Concord Rangers 1-1 Aveley Half-time: Concord Rangers 1-1 Aveley</p> <p>23' Mohamed Bettamer scores 34' Kenny Alieru scores 67' Ben Allen replaced Kenny Alieru 78' Manny Ogunrinde replaced Bryan Ifeanyi 90' Benas Vaivada replaced Garrett Kelly</p>	Jonathan North Emmanuel Dasho Jon Nzengo Blaise Riley-Snow Ryan Scott Harry Gibbs Bryan Ifeanyi Brendon Shabani Temi Babalola Garrett Kelly Kenny Alieru Ben Allen Connor Witherspoon Siju Odelusi Manny Ogunrinde Benas Vaivada

AVELEY PRE-SEASON



AVELEY 4-2 LEWES



ROYSTON TOWN 0-3 AVELEY



BRENTWOOD TOWN 4-1 AVELEY



AVELEY 0-0 DULWICH HAMLET



BILLERICAY TOWN 1-3 AVELEY



AVELEY 0-3 DAGENHAM & REDBRIDGE

CONCORD RANGERS PRE-SEASON



MALDON & TIPTREE 2-2 CONCORD RANGERS



CONCORD RANGERS 3-1 REDBRIDGE



GREAT WAKERING 2-3 CONCORD RANGERS



FC ROMANIA 1-2 CONCORD RANGERS



ILFORD FC 0-5 CONCORD RANGERS



RUNWELL SPORTS 0-8 CONCORD RANGERS



CATHOLIC UNITED 2-3 CONCORD RANGERS

ISTHMIAN CHARITY SHIELD 2022

WORTHING 3-0 HORSHAM

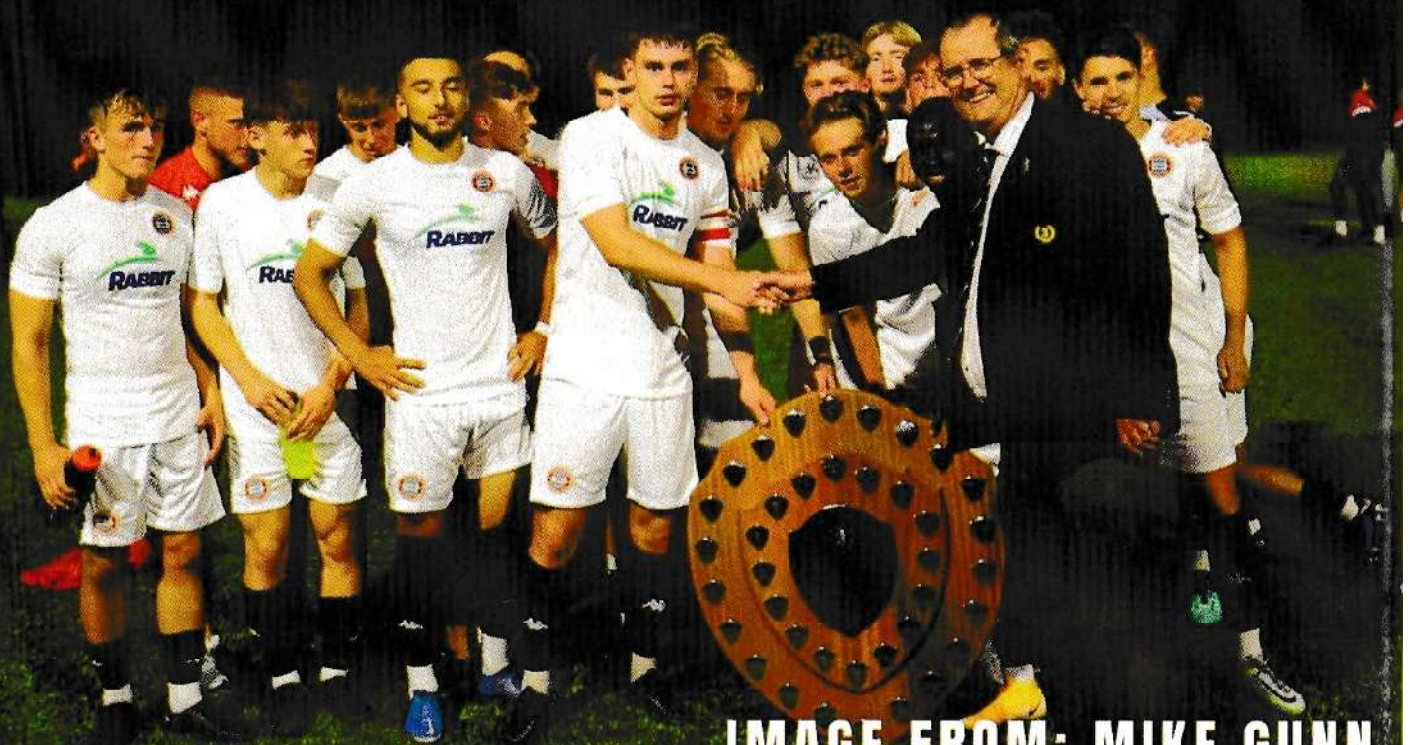
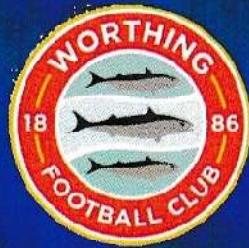


IMAGE FROM: MIKE GUNN

The strong visitors started the stronger of the two sides with the action starting as Chris Sessegnon dug out a left wing cross from the byline that Worthing's keeper punched one-handed as far as Mazzone, who could only hook onto the roof of the net.

Hornet's number ten tried his luck a tad further away from the target a few minutes later, when good work by Lee Harding on the right went unrewarded from twenty yards.

Mazzone and Harding linking up again for the latter to supply the onrushing Shamir Fenelon but, sadly for the striker, he came within inches of converting a fizzer across the face of goal.

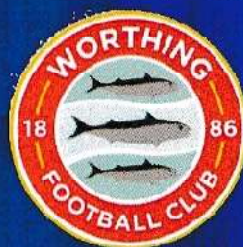
Horsham's Fenelon tested the reflexes of the Worthing goalkeeper, when he tipped the forwards piledriver over the top in impressive fashion. Worthing's keeper then denied Mazzone and Sessegnon once again as Worthing held strong.

The hosts had to soak up all the Horsham pressure, and with five minutes left of the first half Worthing started to create some chances of their own. Horsham's keeper Mitch Beeney was forced into action as he denied Cam Tutt and then Nodirbek Bobomurodov, the latter saw his shot tipped wide of the left hand post.

Half Time: Worthing 0-0 Horsham.

ISTHMIAN CHARITY SHIELD 2022

WORTHING 3-0 HORSHAM



Worthing made a number of changes to the line-up for the second half on the 60th minute - and the game turned in favour of the hosts who quickly established a two-goal lead to take the game away from the then Velocity Trophy holders.

Bobomurodov on the right flank proved too much for the guests backline and his low delivery was tapped home, inside the six yard box by one of the recent replacements, Mo Jammeh. Worthing 1-0 Horsham.

Bobomurodov was in the thick of the action again for goal two, this time scoring a rocket into the top corner of the net, for what was an early contender for Worthing's goal of the season. Worthing 2-0 Horsham.

Horsham came back into the game, and came desperately close to pulling a goal back when Richards centred the ball to Ajakaiye who was millimetres away from converting.

Moments later Ajakaiye laid a good opportunity for Jazk Mazzone, however, the striker glanced his header over the crossbar.

That miss would prove costly, with five minutes to go, an inch-perfect cross through the centre of the pitch by Cocoracchio picked out Hoarty. The midfielder slotted past Beeney to see off Horsham and seal Worthing the Isthmian Charity Shield.

Full Time: Worthing 3-0 Horsham.



IMAGE FROM: MIKE GUNN

AVELEY & CONCORD RANGERS CONNECTIONS IN THE SIDES

DANNY SCOPES FORMER CONCORD RANGERS & CURRENT AVELEY MANAGER



**LED CONCORD RANGERS TO A FA TROPHY
FINAL AGAINST HARROGATE TOWN**

**GUIDED AVELEY TO BACK TO BACK
PROMOTIONS TO NATIONAL SOUTH**

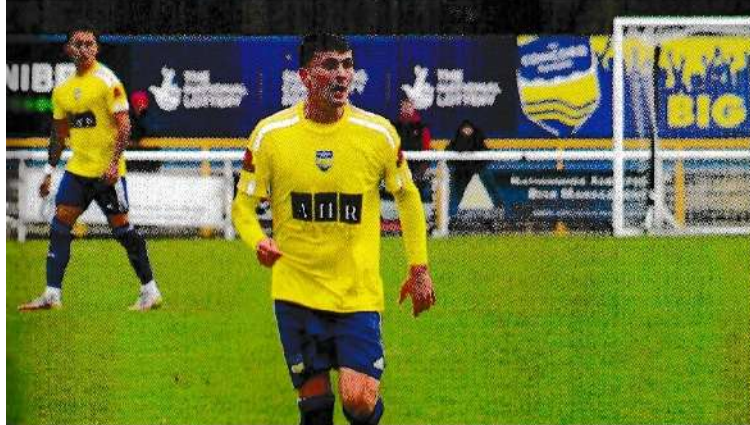


**DANNY, FORMER CONCORD RANGERS MANAGER IN THE NATIONAL SOUTH GUIDED
THE BEACHBOYS TO THE FA TROPHY FINAL TAKING ON FOOTBALL LEAGUE SIDE
HARROGATE TOWN IN MAY 2021.**

**SCOPES ALSO ASSISTED THE COWLEY BROTHERS IN CONCORD RANGERS' RISE
FROM THE ESSEX SENIOR LEAGUE TO THE NATIONAL SOUTH BEFORE COMING FIRST
TEAM MANAGER IN 2019.**

**SINCE JOINING AVELEY IN OCTOBER 2021, HE HAS GUIDED THE MILLERS TO THE
ISTHMIAN NORTH TITLE AND ISTHMIAN PREMIER LEAGUE PLAY-OFF VICTORY.**

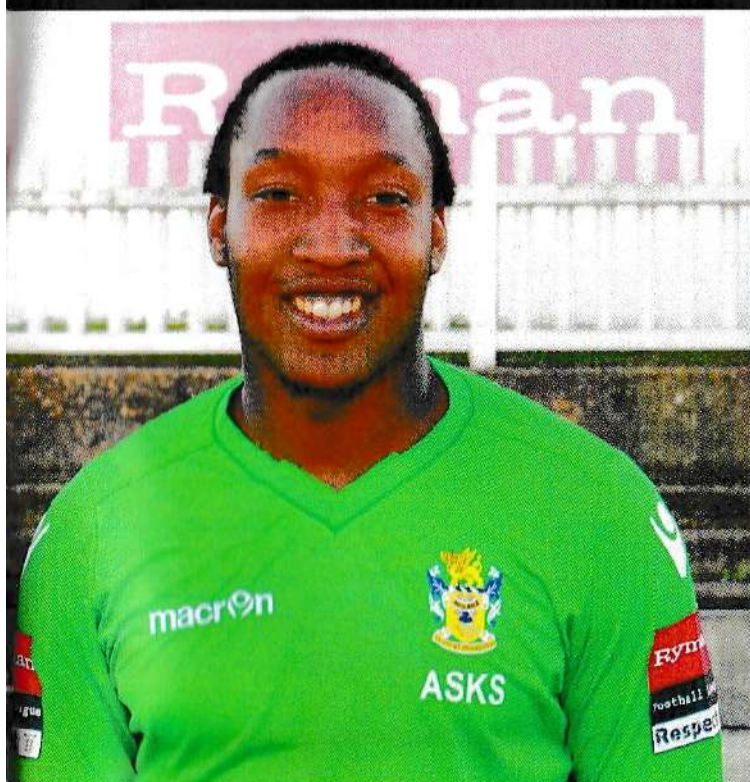
AVELEY & CONCORD RANGERS CONNECTIONS IN THE SIDES



FORWARD ALEX HERNANDEZ JOINED AVELEY FROM CONCORD RANGERS IN SUMMER 2023. ALEX MADE 27 APPEARANCES FOR THE BEACHBOYS.



WINGER NANA KYEI FOLLOWED HERNANDEZ FROM CONCORD RANGERS IN THE SUMMER TO JOIN AVELEY THIS SUMMER. NANA MADE 43 APPS SCORING 4 GOALS.



GOALKEEPER LAMAR JOHNSON JOINED CONCORD RANGERS IN JULY 2023, HAVING PREVIOUSLY PLAYED FOR AVELEY IN THE ISTHMIAN NORTH.

WITH HIS TIME AT AVELEY, LAMAR MADE OVER 50 APPEARANCES ACROSS TWO SPELLS.

HIS FIRST SPELL CAME UNDER MANAGERS JUSTIN GARDNER & TERRY SPILLANE, WHERE THE ST LUCIAN INTERNATIONAL MADE 43 APPEARANCES KEEPING 12 CLEAN SHEETS IN THE 2016/17 SEASON, AVELEY'S LAST AT MILL FIELD.

IN HIS SECOND SPELL WITH AVELEY, HE MADE 7 APPEARANCES AND KEPT 4 CLEAN SHEETS IN THE 2018/19 SEASON.



RESPECT

THE TEAMS



Manager: Danny SCOPES

JONATHAN NORTH (GK)

JASON RING

JON NZENGO

TOM STEPHEN

JALEN JONES

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TOMMY DAVIS

KENNY AILERU

SIJU ODEULUSI

GARRETT KELLY

CONNOR WITHERSPOON

JON BENTON

NANA KYEI

MANNY OGUNRINDE

ALEX HERNANDEZ

MATT RUSH

LIONEL AINSWORTH

CHARLEE HUGHES



Manager: Sam COLLINS

LAMAR JOHNSON (GK)

CALLUM KNOWLDEN

LUKE IGE

KHALE DA COSTA

ZACH LITTLEJOHN

JAMES WHITE

FABION SIMMS

SEAN BONNETT-JOHNSON

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