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**MONTHLY AWARDS**

The fourth series of the Ryman Football League’s Monthly Awards, covering the month of December, will be announced on the League’s website on Wednesday, 2nd January 2008.

The four Divisional awards cover:

* Manager of the Month
* Team Performance of the Month
* Golden Gloves Monthly Award
* Golden Boot Monthly Award

**WEEKEND REVIEW**

Chelmsford City moved back to the top of the Ryman League Premier Division as former leaders dropped two points with a 1-1 draw at home to Heybridge Swifts.

New leaders in Division One North – Edgware Town’s 1-0 win at home to Potters Bar Town just enough to give them a point advantage over last week’s leaders AF Sudbury – beaten 3-1 at Aveley. No change in Division One South, with the top three teams all frozen off.

Top scorers of the weekend were Harlow Town, with six at home to Leyton, whilst Chelmsford City and Ware both hit five at home – Bertie Brayley scored four of Chelmsford’s goals.

Top crowd of the day was at Chelmsford with 1,054 watching the clash with Margate, whilst Ramsgate had a crowd of 716 for their match against AFC Wimbledon.

**Premier Division**

Chelmsford City retuned to the top of the table following their 5-1 home win against fifth placed Margate, as former leaders Hendon could only draw 1-1 at home to Heybridge Swifts. Staines Town and Ramsgate held on to 3rd and 4th places, as they both drew 1-1 at home – Staines against Tonbridge Angels and Ramsgate with AFC Wimbledon.

Leyton remain six points adrift at the foot of the table as they lost heavily for the second week running, this time gong down 6-1 at Harlow Town. Also in the relegation zone are Carshalton Athletic, 2-1 losers at home to Harrow Borough, Folkestone Invicta who lost 3-1 at Wealdstone and Tonbridge Angels.

**Division One North**

Edgware Town returned to the top of Division One North with a 1-0 home win against Potters Bar Town, as last week’s leaders slipped up 3-1 at Aveley. Dartford dropped to third place following their 2-2 draw at fifth placed Maldon Town, with Enfield Town holding on to 4th spot with a 1-0 home win over Witham Town.

Current form team Ware moved closer to the top five with a 5-2 win against relegation threatened Ilford. At the foot of the table, Wivenhoe picked up their second point of the season with a 2-2 draw at home to Waltham Abbey, just missing out on their first win of the season as the Abbey equalised in injury time.

**Division One South**

No points and no change in position for the top five in Division One South, as top three Dover Athletic, Tooting & Mitcham United and Cray Wanderers all lost out to frozen pitches. Dover did start, but the referee called an end to the proceedings after just eleven minutes play.

Fourth and fifth placed Kingstonian and Metropolitan Police both lost at home, 1-2 to Ashford Town and 2-3 to Leatherhead respectively. With Dulwich Hamlet without a game, Worthing moved up to sixth place with a 1-1 draw at Sittingbourne.

Basement clubs Molesey and Eastbourne Town both won – Molesey 3-1 at Croydon Athletic for their second League win of the season and Eastbourne 3-2 at home to Whitstable Town. Eastbourne’s win saw them move out of the relegation places, being replaced by Horsham YMCA – frozen off at Dover.

**RYMAN YOUTH LEAGUE**

Three matches played in the Ryman Youth League with the top two, AFC Wimbledon and Kingstonian, both losing away from home.

AFC Wimbledon lost 3-2 at Staines Town on Wednesday evening, where Lyle Taylor scored a hat-trick for the home team as he maintained his own top spot as the current leading goalscorer in the Youth League with sixteen goals for the first half of the season.

Then the following night, Kingstonian lost 2-1 at the improving Maidstone United youth team, moving themselves up two places in the League table.

Earlier in the week, Leatherhead had returned from a trip to Burgess Hill Town with an exciting 5-4 win over their hosts.

**RESULTS RESULTS**

**Monday, 17th December 2007**

**Division One North**

Aveley 2 - 0 Wivenhoe Town 78

Wheeler 11, Vaughan 36

**Tuesday, 18th December 2007**

**Division One North**

Potters Bar Town 1 - 2 Waltham Abbey 51

Crowther 36 Elmes 9, Karagul 45

Redbridge 1 - 1 Brentwood Town 71

Antoine 10 Scotchmer 32

Ware 4 - 1 Witham Town 92

Frendo 16, Horsey 47, 86, Ricks 22

Bardle 74

**Division One South**

Sittingbourne 2 - 1 Molesey 71

Marsh 27, Spice 50 Edgehill 76

**Isthmian League Cup – Third Round**

AFC Hornchurch 3 - 0 Maidstone United 225

Keith 58, Parker S. 71, 76

Boreham Wood 2 - 3 Wealdstone 87

Gregson 4, Watters 55 Dean 34, Campana 43,

Montgomery 45

**Isthmian League Cup – Fourth Round**

Horsham 1 - 2 Walton Casuals 187

Mingle 57 French 61 (og), King 90

***FA Trophy – First Round Proper Replay***

Tonbridge Angels 1 - 0 Oxford United 642

Barr 30

***London Senior Cup – Third Round***

Croydon Athletic 1 - 0 Erith Town 28

*(After extra time)*

Carnegie 100

Romford *Postponed* Wingate & Finchley -

**Saturday, 22nd December 2007**

**Premier Division**

AFC Hornchurch 1 - 2 Ashford Town (Middx) 302

Boateng 70 Todd 45, Wheight 90

Carshalton Athletic 1 - 2 Harrow Borough 212

McLeod 30 Bant 61, Constant 67

Chelmsford City 5 - 1 Margate 1,054

Brayley 54, 59, 68, 73, Pinnock 44

Berquez 76

East Thurrock United 1 - 0 Boreham Wood 82

West 26

Harlow Town 6 - 1 Leyton 253

Williams 32, Taylor 45, 55, Bricknell 90

Hill 58, Coley 68, Bunn 85

Hastings United 0 - 1 Billericay Town 458

Woods-Garness 58

Hendon 1 - 1 Heybridge Swifts 177

O’Sullivan 88 (pen) Browne 24

Horsham 1 - 2 Maidstone United 490

Brake 46 Takalobighashi 58, 80

Ramsgate 1 - 1 AFC Wimbledon 716

Schulz W. 51 Main 77

Staines Town 1 - 1 Tonbridge Angels 270

Nwokeji 6 Westcott 86

Wealdstone 3 - 1 Folkestone Invicta 250

Nichols 32, O’Leary 57, Chappell 66

Dean 69

**Division One North**

Aveley 3 - 1 AFC Sudbury 101

Barnes 45, 68, Vaughan 48 Head S. 31

Brentwood Town 2 - 0 Arlesey Town 85

Carlos 20, Gillam 86

Bury Town 0 - 3 Wingate & Finchley 183

Gershfield 28, 35, Nyman 56

Canvey Island 1 - 1 Northwood 255

Roberts 82 Theophanies 90

Edgware Town 1 - 0 Potters Bar Town 92

Chakaodza 39

Enfield Town 1 - 0 Witham Town 205

Crace 66

Maldon Town 2 - 2 Dartford 244

Ararn 25, Wareham 55 Hayes 34, 75

Redbridge 3 - 0 Tilbury 56

Holland 35, Wignall 39,

Gayle 89

Waltham Forest 0 - 1 Great Wakering Rovers 61

Foy 47

Ware 5 - 2 Ilford 158

Horsey 6, Hammonds 52, Hayles 29, Jjunju 83

Stevens 63, Frendo 73,

Spendlove 90

Wivenhoe Town 2 - 2 Waltham Abbey 85

Brothers 23, Stanley 55 White 53 (pen), 9

**Division One South**

Burgess Hill Town *Postponed* Tooting & Mitcham United -

*(Frozen pitch)*

Chatham Town 0 - 0 Corinthian-Casuals 133

Croydon Athletic 1 - 3 Molesey 101

Shirley 58 Omonua 14, Hopper 25,

Fowler 45

Dover Athletic (A) 0 - 0 Horsham YMCA -

*(Abandoned after 11 minutes - frozen pitch)*

Eastbourne Town 3 - 2 Whitstable Town 155

Baitup 16, Cooper 75, Marshall 45, 90

Denton 90+1

Kingstonian 1 - 2 Ashford Town 234

Rundell 26 Jones 21, Lovell 80

Metropolitan Police 2 - 3 Leatherhead 202

Corley 17, Newman 63 Gibbs 3, Boosey 11, 14

Sittingbourne 1 - 1 Worthing 145

Hogg 90 Brotherton 67

Walton & Hersham 2 - 1 Chipstead 85

Nwanze 70, 78 Sidwell 45

Whyteleafe *Postponed* Cray Wanderers -

**FIXTURES FIXTURES**

**Boxing Day, Wednesday 26th December 2007**

**Premier Division**

AFC Wimbledon vs. Carshalton Athletic

Ashford Town (Middx) vs. Staines Town

Billericay Town vs. Harlow Town *(Kick-off 1.00 p.m.)*

Boreham Wood vs. Hendon *(Kick-off 12 noon)*

Folkestone Invicta vs. Hastings United

Harrow Borough vs. Wealdstone

Heybridge Swifts vs. Chelmsford City

Leyton vs. AFC Hornchurch *(Kick-off 1.00 p.m.)*

Maidstone United vs. East Thurrock United

Margate vs. Ramsgate *(Kick-off 1.00 p.m.)*

Tonbridge Angels vs. Horsham

**Division One North**

AFC Sudbury vs. Bury Town

Arlesey Town vs. Ware *(Kick-off 12 noon)*

Dartford vs. Canvey Island *(Kick-off 1.00 p.m.)*

Great Wakering Rovers vs. Maldon Town *(Kick-off 1.00 p.m.)*

Ilford vs. Waltham Forest *(Kick-off 1.00 p.m.)*

Northwood vs. Edgware Town

Potters Bar Town vs. Enfield Town *(Kick-off 1.00 p.m.)*

Tilbury vs. Aveley *(Kick-off 12 noon)*

Waltham Abbey vs. Brentwood Town *(Kick-off 11.00 a.m.)*

Wingate & Finchley vs. Redbridge *(Kick-off 1.00 p.m.)*

Witham Town vs. Wivenhoe Town

**Division One South**

Ashford Town vs. Dover Athletic

Chipstead vs. Whyteleafe *(Kick-off 11.30 a.m.)*

Horsham YMCA vs. Burgess Hill Town

Leatherhead vs. Kingstonian *(Kick-off 11.00 a.m.)*

Molesey vs. Dulwich Hamlet *(Kick-off 2.00 p.m.)*

Tooting & Mitcham United vs. Croydon Athletic *(Kick-off 11.30 a.m.)*

Walton Casuals vs. Walton & Hersham *(kick-off 12.30 pm)*

Whitstable Town vs. Sittingbourne

Worthing vs. Eastbourne Town *(Kick-off 11.00 a.m.)*

**Thursday, 27th December 2007**

**Division One South**

Corinthian-Casuals vs. Metropolitan Police

**Saturday, 29th December 2007**

**Premier Division**

AFC Hornchurch vs. Heybridge Swifts

Carshalton Athletic vs. Maidstone United

Chelmsford City vs. Billericay Town

East Thurrock United vs. Leyton

Harlow Town vs. Boreham Wood

Hastings United vs. Tonbridge Angels

Hendon vs. Harrow Borough

Horsham vs. Margate

Ramsgate vs. Folkestone Invicta

Staines Town vs. AFC Wimbledon

Wealdstone vs. Ashford Town (Middx)

**Division One North**

Aveley vs. Dartford

Brentwood Town vs. Great Wakering Rovers

Bury Town vs. Arlesey Town

Canvey Island vs. Tilbury

Edgware Town vs. Waltham Abbey

Enfield Town vs. Northwood

Maldon Town vs. Witham Town

Redbridge vs. Ilford

Waltham Forest vs. Wingate & Finchley

Ware vs. Potters Bar Town

Wivenhoe Town vs. AFC Sudbury

**Division One South**

Burgess Hill Town vs. Worthing

Chatham Town vs. Chipstead

Croydon Athletic vs. Corinthian-Casuals

Dover Athletic vs. Whitstable Town

Dulwich Hamlet vs. Cray Wanderers

Eastbourne Town vs. Horsham YMCA

Kingstonian vs. Tooting & Mitcham United

Metropolitan Police vs. Walton Casuals

Sittingbourne vs. Ashford Town

Walton & Hersham vs. Leatherhead *(Kick-off 1.00 p.m.)*

Whyteleafe vs. Molesey

**Monday, 1st January, 2007**

**Premier Division**

AFC Wimbledon vs. Hendon

**Wednesday, 2nd January, 2007**

**Division One North**

Witham Town vs. Aveley

**Division One South**

Cray Wanderers vs. Chatham Town

**Saturday, 5th January 2008**

**Premier Division**

AFC Hornchurch vs. Harlow Town

Chelmsford City vs. Hastings United

East Thurrock United vs. Billericay Town

Folkestone Invicta vs. Leyton

Harrow Borough vs. Heybridge Swifts

Hendon vs. Carshalton Athletic

Maidstone United vs. AFC Wimbledon

Margate vs. Ashford Town (Middx)

Staines Town vs. Ramsgate

Tonbridge Angels vs. Boreham Wood

Wealdstone vs. Horsham

**Division One North**

Arlesey Town vs. AFC Sudbury

Bury Town vs. Edgware Town

Canvey Island vs. Aveley

Enfield Town vs. Wingate & Finchley

Great Wakering Rovers vs. Waltham Abbey

Ilford vs. Northwood

Maldon Town vs. Potters Bar Town

Tilbury vs. Ware

Waltham Forest vs. Redbridge

Witham Town vs. Dartford

Wivenhoe Town vs. Brentwood Town

**Division One South**

Burgess Hill Town vs. Sittingbourne

Chatham Town vs. Croydon Athletic

Cray Wanderers vs. Leatherhead

Eastbourne Town vs. Dulwich Hamlet

Horsham YMCA vs. Ashford Town

Kingstonian vs. Dover Athletic

Molesey vs. Chipstead

Tooting & Mitcham United vs. Corinthian-Casuals

Walton & Hersham vs. Worthing *(Kick-off 1.00 p.m.)*

Whitstable Town vs. Walton Casuals

Whyteleafe vs. Metropolitan Police

**Monday, 7th January, 2007**

**Isthmian Veterans Cup – Quarter-Final**

Metropolitan Police vs. Northwood

***Essex Senior Cup – Quarter-Final***

Chelmsford City vs. Dagenham & Redbridge

**Tuesday, 8th January 2008**

**Premier Division**

AFC Wimbledon vs. Ashford Town (Middx)

Carshalton Athletic vs. Wealdstone

Staines Town vs. Billericay Town

**Division One North**

Edgware Town vs. Ware

Great Wakering Rovers vs. Northwood

Waltham Forest vs. Enfield Town

Witham Town vs. Arlesey Town

**Division One South**

Tooting & Mitcham United vs. Worthing

Walton & Hersham vs. Molesey

**Isthmian League Cup – Third Round**

Tonbridge Angels vs. Horsham YMCA

**Isthmian League Cup – Third Round**

AFC Hornchurch vs. Ramsgate

***Essex Senior Cup – Quarter-Final***

Grays Athletic vs. Heybridge Swifts

***London Senior Cup – Third Round***

Romford vs. Wingate & Finchley

**Wednesday, 9th January, 2007**

***Essex Senior Cup – Quarter-Final***

Eton Manor vs. Redbridge

**Saturday, 12th January 2008**

**Premier Division**

Billericay Town vs. Folkestone Invicta

Boreham Wood vs. Maidstone United

Carshalton Athletic vs. Staines Town

Harlow Town vs. Chelmsford City

Hastings United vs. AFC Hornchurch

Heybridge Swifts vs. Wealdstone

Horsham vs. East Thurrock United

Leyton vs. Harrow Borough

Ramsgate vs. Hendon

**Division One North**

AFC Sudbury vs. Great Wakering Rovers

Aveley vs. Maldon Town

Brentwood Town vs. Canvey Island

Dartford vs. Ilford

Edgware Town vs. Enfield Town

Northwood vs. Arlesey Town

Potters Bar Town vs. Tilbury

Redbridge vs. Wivenhoe Town

Waltham Abbey vs. Waltham Forest *(Kick-off 1.00 p.m.)*

Ware vs. Bury Town

**Division One South**

Ashford Town vs. Cray Wanderers

Chipstead vs. Whitstable Town

Corinthian-Casuals vs. Molesey

Croydon Athletic vs. Burgess Hill Town

Dover Athletic vs. Eastbourne Town

Dulwich Hamlet vs. Chatham Town

Leatherhead vs. Tooting & Mitcham United

Metropolitan Police vs. Walton & Hersham

Sittingbourne vs. Whyteleafe

Walton Casuals vs. Kingstonian

Worthing vs. Horsham YMCA

***FA Trophy – Second Round Proper***

Tonbridge Angels vs. AFC Wimbledon

**PLAYER MOVEMENTS**

**Player From To Date**

Annon, Darren Havant & Waterlooville Redbridge 21st December 2007

*(Short term loan)*

Bailey, Liam Braintree Town Wivenhoe Town 22nd December 2007

*(Short term loan)*

Barrett, Liam Ipswich Town Bury Town 21st December 2007

*(Work experience)*

Boosey, Glenn Walton & Hersham Leatherhead 18th December 2007

Chandler, Dean East Thurrock United Redbridge 18th December 2007

Dynan, Martin Tooting & Mitcham United Leyton 21st December 2007

Fontana, Luke Carshalton Athletic Tonbridge Angels 21st December 2007

Fowler, George Waltham Forest Arlesey Town 20th December 2007

Good, Stephen Maldon Town Heybridge Swifts 22nd December 2007

Josephs, Ricardo Harrow Borough Margate 21st December 2007

Ocquaye, David Carshalton Athletic Walton Casuals 17th December 2007

Omonua, Stephen Walton Casuals Molesey 22nd December 2007

Revell, Glen Witham Town Maldon Town 19th December 2007

Skerritt, Garry Redbridge Aveley 21st December 2007

**LEAGUE TABLES *As at Saturday, 22nd December 2007***

PREMIER DIVISION P W D L F A Pts GD

[Chelmsford City](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9328&DivisionID=2292&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 21 13 4 4 53 21 43 +32

[Hendon](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9334&DivisionID=2292&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 22 12 7 3 53 30 43 +23

[Staines Town](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9341&DivisionID=2292&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 16 9 5 2 35 16 32 +19

[Ramsgate](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9340&DivisionID=2292&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 20 9 5 6 33 23 32 +10

[Margate](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9339&DivisionID=2292&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 22 8 7 7 34 35 31 -1

[Boreham Wood](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9326&DivisionID=2292&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 22 9 3 10 35 39 30 -4

[AFC Hornchurch](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9322&DivisionID=2292&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 19 8 4 7 27 26 28 +1

[Harrow Borough](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9332&DivisionID=2292&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 22 8 4 10 33 45 28 -12

[AFC Wimbledon](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9323&DivisionID=2292&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 17 7 6 4 22 15 27 +7

[Heybridge Swifts](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9335&DivisionID=2292&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 21 6 9 6 30 24 27 +6

[Maidstone United](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9338&DivisionID=2292&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 21 8 3 10 26 43 27 -17

[Harlow Town](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9331&DivisionID=2292&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 21 6 8 7 32 27 26 +5

[East Thurrock United](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9329&DivisionID=2292&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 20 7 5 8 25 30 26 -5

[Wealdstone](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9343&DivisionID=2292&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 18 7 4 7 31 33 25 -2

[Ashford Town (Middx)](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9324&DivisionID=2292&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 20 7 4 9 31 37 25 -6

[Billericay Town](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9325&DivisionID=2292&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 19 6 6 7 32 29 24 +3

[Horsham](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9336&DivisionID=2292&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 15 8 0 7 25 23 24 +2

[Hastings United](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9333&DivisionID=2292&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 21 6 5 10 26 36 23 -10

[Tonbridge Angels](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9342&DivisionID=2292&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 20 5 7 8 31 32 22 -1

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DIVISION ONE NORTH P W D L F A Pts GD

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[AFC Sudbury](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9344&DivisionID=2293&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 21 12 4 5 54 22 40 +32

[Dartford](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9353&DivisionID=2293&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 20 12 3 5 51 26 39 +25

[Enfield Town](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9351&DivisionID=2293&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 21 11 5 5 40 30 38 +10

[Maldon Town](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9355&DivisionID=2293&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 20 10 6 4 38 29 36 +9

[Ware](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9362&DivisionID=2293&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 18 10 5 3 52 27 35 +25

[Brentwood Town](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9347&DivisionID=2293&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 18 9 7 2 32 18 34 +14

[Redbridge](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9358&DivisionID=2293&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 20 9 7 4 31 21 33 +10

[Canvey Island](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9349&DivisionID=2293&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 19 8 6 5 37 22 30 +15

[Bury Town](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9348&DivisionID=2293&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 19 8 6 5 34 29 30 +5

[Aveley](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9346&DivisionID=2293&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 21 9 3 9 28 44 30 -16

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[Great Wakering Rovers](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9352&DivisionID=2293&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 20 6 7 7 32 32 25 +0

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[Northwood](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9356&DivisionID=2293&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 18 6 4 8 31 34 22 -3

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[Wivenhoe Town](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9365&DivisionID=2293&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 20 0 2 18 12 51 2 -39

*Redbridge FC deducted one point for playing an ineligible player*

DIVISION ONE SOUTH P W D L F A Pts GD

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[Tooting & Mitcham United](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9384&DivisionID=2294&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 20 12 4 4 48 25 40 +23

[Cray Wanderers](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9370&DivisionID=2294&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 21 12 4 5 44 26 40 +18

[Kingstonian](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9379&DivisionID=2294&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 20 12 3 5 31 20 39 +11

[Metropolitan Police](http://football.mitoo.co.uk/TeamHist.cfm?CI=9381&DivisionID=2294&TblName=Matches&LeagueCode=ISTH2007) 21 12 1 8 38 28 37 +10

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**FIXTURE CHANGES TABLE**

**Premier Division**

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| --- | --- | --- |
| **Match** | **Original Date** | **New Date** |
| AFC Wimbledon vs. Margate | 12th January 2008 |  |
| Ashford Town (Middx) vs. Carshalton Athletic | 15th December 2007 |  |
| Ashford Town (Middx) vs. Tonbridge Angels | 12th January 2008 | 19th February 2008 |

**Division One North**

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| **Match** | **Original Date** | **New Date** |
| Brentwood Town vs. Dartford | 8th December 2007 | 5th February 2008 |
| Bury Town vs. Waltham Abbey | 8th December 2007 |  |
| Ware vs. Redbridge | 27th October 2007 | 19th February 2008 |
| Wingate & Finchley vs. Ware | 10th November 2007 | 22nd January 2008 |
| Wivenhoe Town vs. Tilbury | 8th December 2007 |  |

**Division One South**

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| --- | --- | --- |
| **Match** | **Original Date** | **New Date** |
| Ashford Town vs. Chatham Town | 15th December 2007 |  |
| Burgess Hill Town vs. Whitstable Town | 8th December 2007 | 19th February 2008 |
| Eastbourne Town vs. Chipstead | 8th December 2007 |  |
| Sittingbourne vs. Horsham YMCA | 8th December 2007 | 15th January 2008 |
| Whyteleafe vs. Leatherhead | 8th December 2007 | 29th January 2008 |
| Burgess Hill vs. Tooting & Mitcham United | 22nd December 2007 |  |
| Dover Athletic vs. Horsham YMCA | 22nd December 2007 | 4th February 2008 |
| Whyteleafe vs. Cray Wanderers | 22nd December 2007 |  |

**Isthmian League Cup – Fourth Round**

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| **Match** | **Original Date** | **New Date** |
| AFC Hornchurch vs. Ramsgate |  | 8th January 2008 |
| Tonbridge Angels or Horsham YMCA vs. Carshalton Athletic |  |  |
| Wealdstone vs. Ashford Town (Middx) |  | 29th January 2008 |

**RYMAN YOUTH LEAGUE**

**RESULTS RESULTS**

**Monday, 17th December, 2007**

Burgess Hill Town 4 - 5 Leatherhead 36

Westlake 21, McDonald 70, MacManus 8, Cooper-Smith 16,

Lansdale 70, 90 Barilli 20, Hendry 60, 89

**Wednesday, 19th December, 2007**

Croydon Athletic *Postponed* Horsham YNCA

Staines Town 3 - 2 AFC Wimbledon 56

Taylor 23, 29, 63 Fianyor 9, 41

Tooting & Mitcham United *Postponed* Horsham

***Kent Youth Cup – First Round***

Westfield 1 - 2 Carshalton Athletic 20

Obamwony 35, Ulanunmishe 85

**Thursday, 20th December, 2007**

Maidstone United 2 - 1 Kingstonian 30

McParland 38, Cornwell 44 Carter 53 (og)

**FIXTURES FIXTURES**

**Wednesday, 2nd January, 2008**

Carshalton Athletic vs. Horsham YMCA

Croydon Athletic vs. Burgess Hill Town

Tonbridge Angels vs. Maidstone United

Tooting & Mitcham United vs. Horsham

**Thursday, 3rd January, 2008**

AFC Wimbledon vs. Worthing

**Monday, 7th January 2008**

Burgess Hill Town vs. Horsham YMCA

Horsham vs. Carshalton Athletic

Worthing vs. Croydon Athletic

**Wednesday, 9th January 2008**

**Isthmian Youth Cup – Second Round**

Leatherhead vs. Kingstonian

**Thursday, 10th January 2008**

AFC Wimbledon vs. Tooting & Mitcham United

Maidstone United vs. Tonbridge Angels

**Sunday, 13th January, 2007**

**Isthmian Youth Cup – Second Round**

Bury Town vs. Wingate & Finchley

**Monday, 14th January 2008**

Horsham vs. Croydon Athletic

**Wednesday, 16th January 2008**

Tooting & Mitcham United vs. Leatherhead

**Isthmian Youth Cup – First Round**

Staines Town vs. Walton & Hersham

**Isthmian Youth Cup – Second Round**

Carshalton Athletic vs. Worthing

Tonbridge Angels vs. Burgess Hill Town

**Thursday, 17th January 2008**

Kingstonian vs. AFC Wimbledon

**Isthmian Youth Cup – Second Round**

Maidstone United vs. Folkestone Invicta

**Monday, 21st January 2008**

Burgess Hill Town vs. Kingstonian

**Wednesday, 23rd January 2008**

Croydon Athletic vs. Carshalton Athletic

Staines Town vs. Maidstone United

Tonbridge Angels vs. Horsham

**Thursday, 24th January 2008**

Leatherhead vs. AFC Wimbledon

Worthing vs. Horsham YMCA

**Monday, 28th January 2008**

Horsham vs. Burgess Hill Town

Worthing vs. Tonbridge Angels

**Wednesday, 30th January 2008**

Staines Town vs. Leatherhead

Tooting & Mitcham United vs. Croydon Athletic

**Isthmian Youth Cup – Second Round**

Harrow Borough vs. Boreham Wood

**Thursday, 31st January 2008**

Kingstonian vs. Carshalton Athletic

Maidstone United vs. AFC Wimbledon

**To be dated**

**Isthmian Youth Cup – Second Round**

Brentwood Town vs. Leyton

Molesey vs. Staines Town or Walton & Hersham

**YOUTH LEAGUE TABLES *As at Saturday, 22nd December 2007***

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**HANDBOOK AMENDMENTS**

**MOLESEY FC**

The Club Chairman is now Gary Mayne - same address and telephone number as the   
club.

**NOTICEBOARD**

**CHATHAM TOWN FC**

Club Secretary Brian Burcombe will be unavailable from Tuesday, 18th December, 2007 through to Thursday, 10th January, 2008.

During that period all communications should be sent to the Club’s Assistant Secretary, Henry Longhurst, 5 Cedar Grove, Hempstead, Gillingham, Kent ME7 3QT – telephone 01634 371594 (home & business), mobile 0796 746 5554; e-mail [h.longhurst@sky.com](mailto:h.longhurst@sky.com)

**FOLKESTONE INVICTA FC**

Club Secretary Neil Pilcher will not have e-mail access from Friday 21st December 2007 until Wednesday 2nd January 2008, although he will be available on his home or mobile phone numbers during that period.

**CLUB GOSSIP**

**BURGESS HILL TOWN FC**

Former Brighton & Hove Albion defender Stuart Tuck believes he can help the revolution at Burgess Hill gather momentum. Tuck has signed for the Hillians after deciding not to return to Bognor, where he won the player of the year award last season despite his campaign ending prematurely due to a serious injury.

The 33-year-old was expected to be back at Nyewood Lane in the new year after recovering from an operation to mend the Achilles he snapped playing for the Rocks in March. But he has instead chosen to link up with his former Bognor team-mate Jamie Howell who is attempting to deliver success at Leylands Park after taking over as manager earlier this season.

The Hillians are currently languishing in mid-table in Ryman League division one south, ten points off the play-offs, but Tuck is convinced the future is bright at his new club.

He said: "Burgess Hill are a progressive club and Jamie is a great coach who I have got a lot of respect for so I have no doubt I have made the right decision."

**CORINTHIAN-CASUALS FC**

Corinthian Casuals manager Brian Adamson has hailed his team for their performances so far this season. Casuals have finished in the relegation places in the past two seasons and have had to rely on reprieves to stay in the Ryman League. But this season, Adamson's side - the only strictly amateur side in the division - are sitting in mid-table, nine points above the Ryman Division One South drop zone.

"I'm delighted with how we have performed so far," said Adamson. "I would be more than happy to be in the same position at the end of the season, so all I want is more of the same."

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**FOLKESTONE INVICTA FC**

Folkestone Invicta Company Secretary Jim Pellatt has also been appointed as Vice Chairman to provide assistance to Gordon Wallis in his new role of Chairman of the Football Club.

Speaking to the Club’s website about how the appointment arose, Jim commented, “It started with Bob (Dix) saying to me "you've been messing around as Company Secretary for months, interfering in everything from the commercial side to season tickets and anything you can get your hands on, don't you think it's time you had a proper job?”.  Gordon (Wallis) said he was delighted as it was someone else to take the flack so to speak and the Board agreed, so here I am!”

Bob stepped down as Chairman of the Club last week, after 9 years at the helm.  His decision to revert back to his General Manager role saw Gordon Wallis step into the position of Chairman, with the full support of the Board.  Gordon was the natural successor to Bob with his vast experience and knowledge of non league football which has included a number of years at Kent rivals Margate, in positions including Chairman and club President.

”Anything written in appreciation of Bob's time at the helm I can promise you is seriously understated.  He, together with Brian (Merryman) and Andy (Ingleston), by sheer tenacity and strength of will, tempered with prudence and stability, pulled Folkestone Invicta Football Club to the high level of non league football we now enjoy”, remarked Invicta's new Vice Chairman, a position previously vacant.

“He (Dix) was not prepared to be diverted by throwing money in all directions, despite considerable financial input and he worked with a Manager, Neil Cugley, with whom he developed a mutual respect for over many years which is the envy of non league football in Kent.

“Bob developed what I see as Folkestone Invicta's unique personality, that of a ‘together' club; making up for a lack of resources with a tigerish fighting spirit.  The only thing with Bob is that whenever he says to you those immortal words, “I have a little job for you”, panic as you will not know what you are letting yourself in for – he is a past master at getting you in to do “little jobs” and I apologise to him if he is reading this!”

Pellatt – a self-confessed supporter of League Two side Brentford – will continue to serve the Club in his position of Company Secretary.

**HASTINGS UNITED FC**

United manager Nigel Kane has been dealt a huge blow as the season approaches its mid-point, with the news that his brother Norman has been forced to resign from his role as assistant manager due to increasing work and family commitments. After much deliberation, Norman has come to the reluctant conclusion that he will no longer be able to devote the appropriate amount of time to the role, and that it will be in his, and the Club's, best interests for him to step down.

Norman was first invited to assist Nigel in November 2006, and the siblings oversaw the remarkable turnaround in United's fortunes, which led to the Club winning promotion to the Premier Division via the play-offs. Everyone at the Pilot Field, and most especially Nigel himself, would like to thank Norman for his contribution over the last thirteen months, and to wish him all the best for a future that may yet include some occasional scouting missions for the Club. No decision has yet been made over any potential replacement.

Meanwhile, the Club's quest for Council backing over its proposed move to a new stadium has now proceeded to the next level, as is explained in the following press release, issued by chairman Dave Walters this week.

"Hastings United Football Club is pleased to be able to announce that the business plan for the relocation of the Club is now complete, and has been handed to Hastings Borough Council. The town’s senior side has been housed at its current, very aged, stadium since the early part of the last century, and is now finding that the upkeep of the stadium is growing more expensive each season, especially with ground grading criteria becoming more and more stringent, both in terms of facilities, and stadium safety requirements. The possibility of a relocation of the Club was explored with Hastings Borough Council, the club’s landlord, some fifteen years ago, but at that time, discussions never got beyond a very preliminary stage.

The Club feels that now is the ideal time to explore possibilities again, with a new stadium and other new facilities being the target. The Club is both conscious and aware that it will need to work with, and listen very closely to, the views of Hastings Borough Council, who own the freehold to both the Pilot Field and The Firs sites.

The Club's opinion is that the Pilot Field and The Firs would, subject to appropriate amendment to the Borough Plan, make ideal sites for tasteful housing developments. The Pilot Field is old and outdated and needs replacing, and The Firs site, since the demise of St Leonards Football Club a few years ago, has become run down, and has been subject to vandalism. Although the Club does not own the lease to the Firs, it is felt that the inclusion of this land in the project, is essential to make it viable.

The sale of the Pilot Field and The Firs sites could generate sufficient capital to, not only build a new football stadium, but to also provide other much needed sporting facilities for the Borough on the same site. It is hoped that a third generation, all-weather pitch could be built alongside a new stadium. Without a new facility, the Club may struggle to survive another decade and, for a town the size of Hastings, this cannot be allowed to happen. Conversely, a new stadium could help propel the Club up the non-league ladder to a status more befitting a town that has a greater population than Wigan, which currently has a Premiership football club!

With the vision, enthusiasm and energy provided by the principal partners in such a sporting project, the Borough could end up with new sporting facilities that the people of Hastings could be proud of for years to come. The ball is now firmly in Hastings Borough Council's court, but the Club feels very optimistic that this is a shared vision, and looks forward to working with Hastings Borough Council to make this project happen.

**MAIDSTONE UNITED FC**

Football could be coming home to Maidstone sooner than imagined following an offer from a French company to buy 25 per cent of the Ryman Premier League outfit Maidstone United.  
  
Stones chairman Paul Bowden Brown has agreed in principle to the offer from the company, which is led by a British director.  This will boost the club's plans to build a 3,000 capacity stadium at James Whatman Way, bringing the club home to the town for the first time in 20 years.  
  
Bowden Brown said: “We have been in discussions for over six months and when the offer was made it was an easy decision for me to make. For the first time I had met someone who thinks the same as I do and is prepared to become part of the club and work with us to bring the club home. To be fair if we didn’t get some investment soon, the club would not have been able to continue.”  
  
After gaining two promotions in consecutive seasons whilst playing at Sittingbourne's Bourne Park, the news comes as a great boost following an indifferent start to this year’s Ryman Premier League campaign.  
  
The club is also planning to place a Football Foundation bid to the FA for a grant to go towards the construction of the ground. With a new investor pledging interest in the club only strengthens the chances of funding.   
  
Bowden Brown added: “All the other prospective investors that we had spoken to had wanted 100 per cent ownership. This present offer will allow the club financial cushion that we need at this time to complete our Football Foundation bid and be in a position to back that presentation up with a solid financial structure. This offer is a tremendous boost to me personally at this particular moment and it could not have come at a better time.”

**HORSHAM FC**

Horsham Football Club are delighted to announce that John Maggs has agreed to extend his managerial contract to a further two years, taking him up to May 2010. The Club has enjoyed much success under Maggs' leadership, winning the Sussex Floodlit Cup, Brighton Charity Cup (3 times), Isthmian League runners-up (twice), Isthmian play-off runners-up and Sussex Senior Cup finalists and are currently competing at their highest ever level. This season saw the Hornets reach the 2nd round of the FA Cup for the first time, taking League One side Swansea City to a replay, and the club is delighted that John has committed himself for this further period.

**POTTERS BAR TOWN FC**

Parkfield will stage a Ryman League Boxing Day fixture for the first time on Wednesday when Potters Bar Town entertain Enfield Town. The Scholars are hoping the game will be well attended and are aiming to beat their all-time home league attendance record of 269.  
  
Ahead of the Ryman League Division One North encounter, Bar chairman Peter Waller said: "People who are looking for a bit of a break over Christmas can come along. We have only been at this level for three years and it's the first time we've had a home game on Boxing Day. It will be a local derby, everyone is welcome and I'm sure this will be a very good game."  
  
The match, which sees fourth top Enfield take on fourth bottom Bar, kicks-off at 1pm, gates open at 11.30am. Entrance will be free for children and the first 150 people through the turnstiles get seats in the stand.

**CHRIS DICKSON**

Charlton Athletic striker Chris Dickson was recalled from his loan spell at Gillingham on Friday - and went straight into the squad for the following day's Valley match against Hull City.  
  
The free-scoring frontman, who turns 23 on 28th December, netted 11 times in 14 games for the Gills, but with Alan Pardew sweating on the availability of Chris Iwelumo and Luke Varney, he has been summoned 24 hours earlier than expected.  
  
And the news came at the end of a dream week for the striker, who also received a call-up for the Ghana squad for next year's African Nations Cup.

Just nine months ago, Dickson was playing Ryman League football for Dulwich Hamlet - the famous non-League club that was also a port of call for Addicks boss Alan Pardew during his playing days.

After scoring twice in a 'trial' reserve game at Fulham in March, the striker ended the season as top scorer for the second string with seven goals in six games. He also netted three times for the senior side in pre-season and made his Charlton debut as a late substitute in the Carling Cup clash at Swindon on 14th August. Following a short spell on loan at Crewe Alexandra, to began blazing a scoring trail in Kent for the Gills, striking seven times in the league and adding a further four goals in the Johnstone's Paint Trophy - including a hat-trick against Luton Town.

**WEEKLY STATS ATTACK**

**Top Goalscorers**

***(Up to and including Friday, 21st December 2007)***

# *PREMIER DIVISION Lge Goals*

Mark Nwokeji Staines Town 14

Wayne O’Sullivan Hendon 14

Jon Main Tonbridge Angels 12

Brian Haule Hendon 11

Ricky Holmes Chelmsford City 11

Simon Thomas Boreham Wood 9

Steffan Ball Ramsgate 9

Elliott Onchie Boreham Wood 9

*(includes 6 goals for Harrow Borough)*

Joe Flack Billericay Town 8

Peter Dean Wealdstone 8

Kezie Ibe Chelmsford City 8

James Pinnock Margate 8

# *DIVISION ONE NORTH Lge Goals*

Brendan Cass Dartford 18

James Rowe AFC Sudbury 16

Steve Wareham Maldon Town 11

Kurt Smith Tilbury 11

Martin Tuohy Great Wakering Rovers 10

Cody McDonald Witham Town 10

Jay May Dartford 10

Sam Reed Bury Town 10

Jamie Ricks Witham Town 10

Elliot Buchanan Northwood 9

# *DIVISION ONE SOUTH Lge Goals*

Reggie Savage Croydon Athletic 14

James Dryden Dover Athletic 12

Jon Henry-Hayden Tooting & Mitcham Utd 12

Paul Vines Tooting & Mitcham Utd 11

Liam Baitup Eastbourne Town 11

Frannie Collin Dover Athletic 11

Bobby Traynor Kingstonian 10

Craig Carley Metropolitan Police 9

Shaheen Sadough Burgess Hill Town 9

George Fenwick Cray Wanderers 9

Darren Smith Chatham Town 9

Shaun Beveney Dulwich Hamlet 9

Ben Johnson Worthing 9

# *YOUTH LEAGUE Lge Goals*

Lyle Taylor Staines Town 16

Michael Mullen Kingstonian 11

Michael Antonio Tooting & Mitcham Utd 10

David Fianyor AFC Wimbledon 10

*(includes 5goals for Tooting & Mitcham United)*

Mark Watkins Kingstonian 9

Ashley Dann Tonbridge Angels 7

Lee Davison AFC Wimbledon 7

Terry Dodd Worthing 7

**Hat-trick heroes**

***(Week beginning Monday, 17th December 2007)***

This week’s four goal star is:

Bertie Brayley Chelmsford City

This week’s Ryman Youth League hat-trick star is:

Lyle Taylor Staines Town

**Best Attendances – Club by Club**

***(Up to and including Friday, 21st December 2007)***

***PREMIER DIVISION***

2,829 AFC Wimbledon vs. Ramsgate

*18th August 2007*

1,572 Billericay Town vs. Chelmsford City

*27th August 2007*

1,536 Hastings United vs. AFC Wimbledon

*17th November 2007*

1,446 Chelmsford City vs. Wealdstone

*8th September 2007*

1,030 AFC Hornchurch vs. Billericay Town

*21st August 2007*

985 Tonbridge Angels vs. AFC Wimbledon

*13th November 2007*

***DIVISION ONE NORTH***

1,402 Dartford vs. Waltham Abbey

*18th August 2007*

319 Canvey Island vs. Potters Bar Town

*21st August 2007*

312 AFC Sudbury vs. Wivenhoe Town

*27th August 2007*

303 Enfield Town vs. AFC Sudbury

*25th August 2007*

280 Wingate & Finchley vs. Dartford

*3rd November 2007*

232 Redbridge vs. Dartford

*17th November 2007*

***DIVISION ONE SOUTH***

1,215 Dover Athletic vs. Tooting and Mitcham United

*19th November 2007*

1,002 Whitstable Town vs. Dover Athletic

*27th August 2007*

475 Tooting & Mitcham United vs. Kingstonian

*27th August 2007*

475 Dulwich Hamlet vs. Kingstonian

*21st September 2007*

439 Eastbourne Town vs. Dover Athletic

*26th September 2007*

420 Sittingbourne vs. Dover Athletic

*6th November 2007*

**Wins Analysis**

***(Up to and including Saturday, 22nd December 2007)***

# *PREMIER DIVISION*

Matches Played: 218

Home Wins 106 48.6 %

Away Wins 59 27.1%

Draws 53 24.3 %

# *DIVISION ONE NORTH*

Matches Played: 216

Home Wins 95 44.0 %

Away Wins 61 28.2 %

Draws 60 27.8 %

# *DIVISION ONE SOUTH*

Matches Played: 219

Home Wins 91 41.6 %

Away Wins 82 37.4 %

Draws 46 21.0 %

# *YOUTH LEAGUE*

Matches Played: 56

Home Wins 31 55.4%

Away Wins 18 32.1 %

Draws 7 12.5 %

**League Form Guide *(Last six matches)***

**PREMIER DIVISION** W D L F A Pts

1 Hendon 4 2 0 22 4 14

2 Ashford Town (Mx) 4 0 2 12 10 12

3 Staines Town 3 2 1 14 8 11

4 Chelmsford City 3 2 1 14 9 11

5 Wealdstone 3 2 1 12 8 11

6 AFC Wimbledon 3 2 1 10 6 11

7 Heybridge Swifts 3 2 1 7 3 11

8 AFC Hornchurch 3 1 2 9 6 10

9 Margate 3 1 2 10 10 10

10 Harrow Borough 3 1 2 6 6 10

11 Boreham Wood 3 0 3 11 10 9

12 Billericay Town 2 3 1 7 6 9

13 Carshalton Athletic 3 0 3 7 9 9

14 Ramsgate 2 2 2 8 8 8

15 Maidstone United 2 2 2 9 10 8

16 Tonbridge Angels 1 4 1 8 8 7

17 Harlow Town 1 3 2 10 7 6

18 Horsham 2 0 4 9 12 6

19 East Thurrock United 1 3 2 4 8 6

20 Hastings United 1 1 4 3 9 4

21 Leyton 1 1 4 4 22 4

22 Folkestone Invicta 1 0 5 6 14 3

**DIVISION ONE NORTH** W D L F A Pts

1 Ware 4 2 0 23 9 14

2 Dartford 4 1 1 24 11 13

3 Maldon Town 4 1 1 16 11 13

4 Aveley 4 1 1 13 8 13

5 Enfield Town 4 1 1 8 8 13

6 Brentwood Town 3 3 0 9 5 12

7 Edgware Town 3 3 0 8 4 12

8 AFC Sudbury 3 2 1 17 8 11

9 Northwood 3 1 2 13 9 10

10 Redbridge 3 1 2 10 7 10

11 Canvey Island 2 3 1 14 8 9

12 Great Wakering Rovers 2 3 1 11 8 9

13 Arlesey Town 1 3 2 12 12 6

14 Witham Town 2 0 4 11 15 6

15 Potters Bar Town 2 0 4 9 13 6

16 Bury Town 1 3 2 9 14 6

17 Wingate & Finchley 2 0 4 8 13 6

18 Waltham Abbey 1 1 4 4 15 4

19 Ilford 1 0 5 6 17 3

20 Tilbury 0 2 4 8 14 2

21 Wivenhoe Town 0 1 5 6 13 1

22 Waltham Forest 0 1 5 5 18 1

**DIVISION ONE SOUTH** W D L F A Pts

1 Dover Athletic 5 1 0 15 3 16

2 Dulwich Hamlet 5 0 1 11 5 15

3 Cray Wanderers 3 3 0 13 6 12

4 Metropolitan Police 3 1 2 13 7 10

5 Worthing 3 1 2 10 7 10

6 Chipstead 3 1 2 10 9 10

7 Kingstonian 3 1 2 7 7 10

8 Whyteleafe 2 3 1 4 4 9

9 Walton Casuals 2 2 2 9 8 8

10 Horsham YMCA 2 2 2 9 9 8

11 Burgess Hill Town 2 2 2 6 6 8

12 Eastbourne Town 2 2 2 8 10 8

13 Sittingbourne 2 2 2 7 11 8

14 Tooting & Mitcham Utd 2 1 3 11 10 7

15 Walton & Hersham 2 1 3 6 9 7

16 Leatherhead 2 0 4 10 11 6

17 Chatham Town 1 3 2 9 12 6

18 Molesey 1 2 3 9 13 5

19 Corinthian-Casuals 1 2 3 4 8 5

20 Ashford Town 1 2 3 5 10 5

21 Croydon Athletic 1 1 4 7 13 4

22 Whitstable Town 1 0 5 9 15 3

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