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LEAGUE NEWS

MONTHLY AWARDS

The sixth series of the Ryman Football League Monthly Awards for season 2007/08, covering the month of February, 2008, have been announced as follows:

Manager of the Month

(Sponsored by Errea Sport Ltd.)

Premier Division

Mark Butler - Ashford Town (Middx) F.C.

Division One North

Glen Alzapiedi – Ware F.C.

Division One South

Andy Hessenthaler – Dover Athletic F.C.

Team Performance of the Month

(Sponsored by GX Soccer)

Premier Division

AFC Hornchurch

Division One North

Redbridge F.C.

Division One South

Walton Casuals F.C.

Golden Gloves Award

(Sponsored by Snapshot Poker)

Premier Division

James Pullen – AFC Wimbledon

Division One North

Adam Rafis – Aveley F.C.

Division One South

David King – Tooting & Mitcham United F.C.

LEAGUE NEWS

Golden Boots Award

(Sponsored by Snapshot Poker)

Premier Division

Carl Rook – Tonbridge Angels F.C. with 7 League Goals

Division One North

John Frendo – Ware F.C. with 6 League Goals

Division One South

Steve Harper – Burgess Hill Town F.C. with 10 League Goals

The award for the "Team Performances of the Month" recognises a particularly noteworthy performance by a Club during the month from any of its first team matches in all competitions played.

AFC Hornchurch have won the "Performance of the Month" award for the Ryman League Premier Division. Having steadily climbed up the table in recent weeks to move into the play-off places, AFC Hornchurch travelled to League leaders Chelmsford City on the second Saturday in the February, and produced a stunning 4-0 win against their hosts. This also completed the League double over their Essex neighbours at the same time, having beaten the Clarets 1-0 at home on 1st September.

After an indifferent start to February, Redbridge entertained Edgware on the last Saturday in the month. Edgware are the team boasting the best defence in the whole Ryman

Football League, having only conceded seventeen goals in 31 League matches in a season when they had won three Golden Gloves awards. That made little difference to Redbridge, who overwhelmed their visitors to win 5-0, and win the club the Division One North Team Performance award.

Walton Casuals won the February Team performance award for Division One South for their performance in travelling to Premier Division Carshalton Athletic in the Quarter-Finals of the League Cup, and having held their hosts to 1-1 at the end of extra time, went on to win the match 5-4 on penalty kicks to reach the semi-finals of the Cup for the first time in their history.

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ISTHMIAN LEAGUE CUP

The Final of this season's Isthmian League Cup competition, between Heybridge Swifts or AFC Sudbury and Walton Casuals or Ramsgate will be played at Dartford Football Club's Princes Park Stadium on Wednesday, 2nd April 2008 – kick-off 7.45 p.m.

WEEKEND REVIEW

No change again at the top and bottom of all three Divisions, and as the season reaches its closing weeks, there is unlikely to be much movement at the very top and bottom of these three very competitive Divisions.

Chelmsford City dropped two points at Folkestone Invicta, allowing AFC Wimbledon to move just eight points behind with each club just nine games to play.

Dartford remain five points clear of AFC Sudbury in Division One North, whilst Dover Athletic are now thirteen points clear of second placed Tooting & Mitcham United, having won by the only goal of the match at the Hub at the weekend.

No hat-tricks this weekend, but 84 goals were scored in 33 League matches. Five clubs each scored four goals – AFC Wimbledon,

Redbridge, Maldon Town, Dulwich Hamlet and Eastbourne Town.

Crowds on Saturday afternoon were generally good, with AFC Wimbledon, Dartford and Tooting & Mitcham United all being watched by crowds in excess of one thousand.

Premier Division

Leaders Chelmsford City were held to a goalless draw on Saturday afternoon on their visit to Folkestone Invicta, allowing AFC Wimbledon, 4-0 winners at home to Hastings United, to close the gap at the top of the table to just eight points. And the two clubs meet in Chelmsford in a fortnight's time, just a week after Chelmsford City will have entertained fourth placed Staines Town, held 1-1 at home by East Thurrock United.

Hendon moved back to third place following their 2-1 win at Horsham – their first win since the start of 2008. Horsham's defeat dropped the Sussex club one place to fill the last play-off place.

Just outside the play-off places are AFC Hornchurch, beaten 2-1 at Boreham Wood, and Billericay Town, held to a goalless draw by Ashford Town (Middx). Margate won 2-1 at Maidstone United to retain an interest in the play-off places, but Ramsgate, beaten 2-0 at home by Carshalton Athletic, continue their recent disappointing run.

At the foot of the table, only East Thurrock United collected a point, as Leyton, Hastings United and Wealdstone all lost. Carshalton Athletic had a good 2-0 win at Ramsgate, whilst Harlow Town, with three goals in the first twelve minutes, finally beat Harrow Borough 3-2.

Division One North

Leaders Dartford had to wait until injury time to score the only goal of the match against visitors Waltham Forest, as a penalty converted by Jamie Cole kept the three points in Kent. This allowed the Darts to retain their five point lead against challengers AFC Sudbury, good 3-0 winners at home to Brentwood Town, with Jamie Rowe scoring two of the goals.

Third placed Ware could only draw at Aveley, thus staying three points ahead of Canvey Island, 3-1 winners at Ilford, and Edware Town, 1-0 winners at home to Arlesey Town.

Just outside the play-off places are Redbridge, 4-1 victors at a struggling Enfield

Town. They are closely followed by Maldon Town and Bury Town, who had beaten Wivenhoe Town 4-2 and Potters Bar Town 2-0 respectively.

Only Witham Town of the bottom eight clubs had won at the weekend, giving themselves breathing space over the seven clubs below them.

Division One South

Dover Athletic took a giant stride to winning the automatic promotion place in Division One South, as they beat second placed Tooting & Mitcham United by the only goal of the game – scored by Craig Cloke after just eighteen minutes – and now lead the London club by a massive thirteen points. The match was watched by a season best at Tooting of 1,041.

There was no change in the three remaining play-off positions, with Cray Wanderers drawing 1-1 at Whitstable Town, Metropolitan Police winning 2-1 against rivals Kingstonian and Sittingbourne returning from a visit to relegation bound Molesey with three points from a 1-0 victory.

Worthing, 2-1 winners at Chipstead, moved up to sixth place, followed by Dulwich Hamlet and Walton & Hersham.

At the foot of the table, 21st placed Horsham YMCA followed up their midweek win with a point from their visit to Walton & Hersham, and now sit seven points behind Corinthian-Casuals with each side just nine games to play.

Elsewhere Eastbourne Town picked up three valuable points from a 4-1 home win against Ashford Town, whilst Chatham Town beat Walton Casuals by the only goal of the game.

Ryman Youth League

A busy week for the Ryman Youth league clubs, with five League matches and two Isthmian Youth Cup matches played.

Leaders AFC Wimbledon returned from a visit to the strong Worthing side with a point from a 1-1 draw, to move two points clear of second placed Croydon Athletic. Then the following night, the Athletic failed to take top position as they lost to the much improving Maidstone United in Kent by a 2-1 scoreline.

Leatherhead beat Carshalton Athletic 3-2 in Surrey on Wednesday evening to retain third place, just ahead of Kingstonian, 2-0 home

victors against Tonbridge Angels. In the final match, Horsham beat neighbours Horsham YMCA 2-1 – the first time the two Horsham clubs have met this season.

In the Isthmian Youth Cup, Staines Town beat Southern Junior League club Walton & Hersham 7-2 in a much delayed First Round tie, whilst Leyton travelled to Brentwood Town in their Second Round match, returning home with a 2-0 win and a trip to Boreham Wood in the Quarter-Finals.

THE FA REGISTRATIONS DEPARTMENT

The Football Association's Registrations Manager, John Young, is retiring in early August, 2008, after 38 years' service in his current role. In preparation for John's retirement, Steve Rooke was recruited by the FA last September to take over the reins.

With effect from 1st March 2008, Steve will assume control of the day-to-day running of the department as part of a planned handover of responsibilities.

John, who has been involved in football for nearly 50 years, will remain an integral part of the registrations team through to his retirement.

John first joined the FA in 1960 working in several departments. After spells as secretary of Wimbledon and assistant secretary at Millwall he rejoined the FA in 1970 in his present role. John has been a Council member with the Surrey County FA since 2001 looking after League sanction issues.

After a career in journalism and six years as a sports presenter in BBC Radio, Steve spent 17 years as club secretary at Brighton and Hove Albion, Wimbledon and MK Dons. More recently, he spent 18 months as chief executive of the Manchester FA and has been involved at all levels of the game starting out as the youngest Isthmian League secretary at Worthing more than 30 years ago.

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ISTHMIAN VETERANS CUP

The draw for the Semi-Finals of the Isthmian Veterans Cup will be published on Friday, 7th March 2008.

ISTHMIAN WOMENS CUP

The draw for the Semi-Finals of the Isthmian Womens Cup will be published on Friday, 7th March 2008.

ISTHMIAN YOUTH CUP

The updated draw for the quarter-finals of the Isthmian Youth Cup is:

Bury Town vs. Maidstone United
Boreham Wood vs. Leyton
Tonbridge Angels or Burgess Hill Town vs. Worthing
Leatherhead vs. Molesey or Staines Town

Matches to be played by 15th March 2008

RESULTS

RESULTS

Monday, 25th February 2008

Premier Division

Chelmsford City 3 - 0 Carshalton Athletic 1,006
Noto 6, Holmes 24, 60

Surrey Senior Cup – Fourth Round

Kingstonian 2 - 1 Redhill 179
Lodge 23, Huckle 45
Reid 44

Tuesday, 26th February 2008

Premier Division

AFC Wimbledon 2 - 1 Margate 2,227
Rose 79, Goodliffe 90
Smith 87

Horsham 1 - 2 Heybridge Swifts 408
Mingle 45
Wareham 55, Savage 59

Tonbridge Angels 2 - 0 Ramsgate 330
Westcott 33, Logan 68

Wealdstone 2 - 1 Harlow Town 215
Papali 79 (pen), 83
Bunn 15

Division One North

Brentwood Town 0 - 2 Canvey Island 212
Gordon 18, Fanibuyan 31

Bury Town 1 - 0 Waltham Abbey 210
Barrett 64

Redbridge 1 - 3 Maldon Town 92
Everitt 40, Wareham 72,
Hawes (Kevin) 83

Witham Town 2 - 3 AFC Sudbury 215
Hawes (David) 12, King R. 79
Bacon 10, Heath 74, Rowe 80

Division One South

Corinthian-Casuals 2 - 1 Molesey 108
Murray-Price 33, Hassell 88
Gale 51

Croydon Athletic 1 - 1 Burgess Hill Town 101
Greenway 14
Sadough 79

Sittingbourne 0 - 2 Horsham YMCA 152
Russell A. 56, Woodburn 61

Worthing 1 - 0 Walton Casuals 220
Brotherton 35

Herts. Senior Cup – Semi-Final

Boreham Wood 1 - 0 Hemel Hempstead Town

Ware 2 - 1 Bishop's Stortford

Kent Senior Cup – Semi-Final

Cray Wanderers 6 - 1 Bromley 535
Power 14, Aris 44,
Kempster 64, Cottrell 67,
Wood L. 75 (pen), Fenwick 80

London Senior Cup – Quarter-Final

Leyton	1 - 2	Hendon	39
Hazard 87		Maclaren 43, Aiteouakrim 65	

Surrey Senior Cup – Fourth Round

Merstham	1 - 2	Tooting & Mitcham United	107
Smith 73		Abbey 13, Pinnock 65 (pen)	
Whyteleafe	1 - 0	Guildford City	52
(After extra time)			
O'Donnell 10 (og)			

Wednesday, 27th February 2008**Division One South**

Eastbourne Town	2 - 4	Chipstead	117
Denton 37, Piracy 83		Oakins 1 (pen), 53 (pen), Simpson 71, Fleming 73	

London Senior Cup – Quarter-Final

Wealdstone	2 - 3	Fisher Athletic	49
(After extra time)			
Hughes 46 (pen), Reid 54		Green 40, 83, Heroo 105	

Saturday, 1st March 2008**Premier Division**

AFC Wimbledon	4 - 0	Hastings United	2,711
Hatton 20, Shroot 33, Worgan 73 (og), Ferguson 76			
Billericay Town	0 - 0	Ashford Town (Middx)	471
Boreham Wood	2 - 1	AFC Hornchurch	162
Barber 19, Bangura 85		Brothers 51	
Folkestone Invicta	0 - 0	Chelmsford City	402
Harlow Town	3 - 2	Harrow Borough	251
Sylvester 1, Taylor 6, McGonigle 12 (og)		Bent 22 (pen), Assombang 81	
Horsham	1 - 2	Hendon	521
Farrell 33		Haule B. 72, Aiteouakrim 90	
Leyton	0 - 3	Heybridge Swifts	46
		Marks 10, Browne 45	
Maidstone United	1 - 2	Margate	499
Erskine 26		Pinnock 2, McKinn 90	
Ramsgate	0 - 2	Carshalton Athletic	252
		Evans 23, Ursell 30	
Staines Town	1 - 1	East Thurrock United	289
Nwokeji 75		Cornhill 11	
Wealdstone	1 - 3	Tonbridge Angels	293
Papali 26		Cade 35, Beales 62, Westcott 85	

Division One North

AFC Sudbury	3 - 0	Brentwood Town	273
Clements 23, Rowe 44, 86			
Aveley	1 - 1	Ware	83
Francis 56		Spendlove 86	
Dartford	1 - 0	Waltham Forest	1,249
Coyle 90 (pen)			
Edgware Town	1 - 0	Arlesey Town	73
Chakaodza 89			
Enfield Town	1 - 4	Redbridge	266
Bastian 90		Hisher 17, Hahn 40, Wignall 47, Hammond 60	
Great Wakering Rovers	2 - 0	Tilbury	113
Pearson 28, Fox J. 73			
Ilford	1 - 3	Canvey Island	136
Elbi 64		Fanibuyan 63, 66, Rugg 80	

Maldon Town Parrot 12, Robinson 67, 75, Perry 85	4 - 2	Wivenhoe Town Underwood 22, 42	91
Potters Bar Town	0 - 2	Bury Town Bugg S. 10, Reed S. 80	43
Wingate & Finchley	0 - 1	Northwood Baxter 43	60
Witham Town O'Donnell G. 37, Hawes D. 57	2 - 1	Waltham Abbey Bostock 28	81
Division One South			
Burgess Hill Town Harper 12, Edmonds 33	2 - 0	Whyteleafe	157
Chatham Town Hafner 44	1 - 0	Walton Casuals	107
Chipstead Oakins 70 (pen)	1 - 2	Worthing Kirkwood 11, Douglas 81	101
Corinthian-Casuals Murray-Price 88	1 - 4	Dulwich Hamlet Taylor 29, Nugent 41, May 57, Darko 74	127
Croydon Athletic Bennett 89	1 - 1	Leatherhead Stevens 41 (pen)	117
Eastbourne Town Brockwell 14, Baitup 20, 66, Piercy 51	4 - 1	Ashford Town Matata 81	228
Metropolitan Police Moorhouse 77, Ottley 89	2 - 1	Kingstonian Lodge 52	425
Molesey	0 - 1	Sittingbourne Ozresberoglu 44	105
Tooting & Mitcham United	0 - 1	Dover Athletic Clope 18	1,041
Walton & Hersham Kenkins 10	1 - 1	Horsham YMCA Russell 7	120
Whitstable Town Pulman 82	1 - 1	Cray Wanderers Aris 19	254

FIXTURES

Tuesday, 4th March 2008

Premier Division

East Thurrock United vs. Hastings United
Harlow Town vs. Horsham
Wealdstone vs. Maidstone United

Division One North

Arlesey Town vs. Wingate & Finchley
Bury Town vs. Brentwood Town
Waltham Abbey vs. Tilbury

Division One South

Ashford Town vs. Cray Wanderers
Walton & Hersham vs. Molesey

Isthmian League Cup – Semi-Finals

Heybridge Swifts vs. AFC Sudbury (*kick-off*
7.30 p.m.)
Walton Casuals vs. Ramsgate

Wednesday, 5th March 2008

Division One North

Ware vs. Redbridge

FIXTURES

Thursday, 6th March 2008

Isthmian Veterans Cup – Second Round

AFC Hornchurch vs. Great Wakering
Rovers (*at Great Wakering Rovers FC*)

Saturday, 8th March 2008

Premier Division

AFC Hornchurch vs. Maidstone United
Ashford Town (Middx) vs. Harlow Town
Carshalton Athletic vs. Folkestone Invicta
Chelmsford City vs. Staines Town
East Thurrock United vs. Wealdstone
Harrow Borough vs. Horsham
Hastings United vs. Boreham Wood
Hendon vs. AFC Wimbledon
Heybridge Swifts vs. Ramsgate
Margate vs. Billericay Town
Tonbridge Angels vs. Leyton

Division One North

Arlesey Town vs. Witham Town
Brentwood Town vs. Edgware Town

Bury Town vs. Dartford
Canvey Island vs. AFC Sudbury
Northwood vs. Potters Bar Town
Redbridge vs. Great Wakering Rovers
Tilbury vs. Wingate & Finchley
Waltham Abbey vs. Aveley
Waltham Forest vs. Maldon Town
Ware vs. Enfield Town
Wivenhoe Town vs. Ilford

Division One South

Ashford Town vs. Metropolitan Police
Dover Athletic vs. Molesey
Dulwich Hamlet vs. Chipstead
Horsham YMCA vs. Corinthian-Casuals
Kingstonian vs. Whitstable Town
Leatherhead vs. Burgess Hill Town
Sittingbourne vs. Croydon Athletic
Walton Casuals vs. Eastbourne Town
Whyteleafe vs. Tooting & Mitcham United
Worthing vs. Chatham Town

Sunday, 9th March 2008

Division One South

Cray Wanderers vs. Walton & Hersham

Tuesday, 11th March 2008

Premier Division

Ashford Town (Middx) vs. Carshalton Athletic
Billericay Town vs. Folkestone Invicta
Tonbridge Angels vs. Heybridge Swifts
Wealdstone vs. East Thurrock United

Division One North

Waltham Abbey vs. Waltham Forest

Division One South

Ashford Town vs. Eastbourne Town

London Senior Cup – Semi-Final

Bromley vs. Hendon

Surrey Senior Cup – Semi-Final

Tooting & Mitcham United vs. Kingstonian

Wednesday, 12th March 2008

Division One South

Whyteleafe vs. Cray Wanderers

Friday, 14th March 2008

Division One South

Dulwich Hamlet vs. Leatherhead

Saturday, 15th March 2008

Premier Division

AFC Hornchurch vs. Margate
Carshalton Athletic vs. Heybridge Swifts
Chelmsford City vs. AFC Wimbledon
East Thurrock United vs. Tonbridge Angels
Harlow Town vs. Maidstone United
Hastings United vs. Harrow Borough
Hendon vs. Folkestone Invicta
Horsham vs. Ashford Town (Middx)
Ramsgate vs. Billericay Town
Staines Town vs. Leyton

Wealdstone vs. Boreham Wood

Division One North

Aveley vs. Potters Bar Town
Brentwood Town vs. Wingate & Finchley
Bury Town vs. Tilbury
Canvey Island vs. Witham Town
Edgware Town vs. Great Wakering Rovers
Enfield Town vs. Dartford
Maldon Town vs. Ilford
Redbridge vs. Waltham Abbey
Waltham Forest vs. Arlesey Town
Ware vs. AFC Sudbury
Wivenhoe Town vs. Northwood

Division One South

Burgess Hill Town vs. Corinthian-Casuals
Chatham Town vs. Whitstable Town
Croydon Athletic vs. Chipstead
Dover Athletic vs. Walton Casuals
Eastbourne Town vs. Tooting & Mitcham United
Kingstonian vs. Worthing
Metropolitan Police vs. Molesey
Sittingbourne vs. Cray Wanderers
Walton & Hersham vs. Ashford Town
Whyteleafe vs. Horsham YMCA

Tuesday, 18th March 2008

Premier Division

Harlow Town vs. Boreham Wood
Hendon vs. Ashford Town (Middx)
Staines Town vs. Horsham

Division One North

Brentwood Town vs. Wivenhoe Town
Northwood vs. Bury Town
Ware vs. Tilbury

Good Friday, 21st March 2008

(Kick-off 3.00 p.m.)

Premier Division

AFC Wimbledon vs. East Thurrock United
Billericay Town vs. Carshalton Athletic
Folkestone Invicta vs. Harlow Town

Division One North

Waltham Abbey vs. Canvey Island

Division One South

Ashford Town vs. Whyteleafe
Tooting & Mitcham United vs. Chatham Town
Worthing vs. Dulwich Hamlet

Saturday, 22nd March 2008

Premier Division

Ashford Town (Middx) vs. Hastings United
Boreham Wood vs. Horsham
Harrow Borough vs. AFC Hornchurch
Heybridge Swifts vs. Staines Town
Leyton vs. Ramsgate
Maidstone United vs. Chelmsford City
Margate vs. Wealdstone
Tonbridge Angels vs. Hendon

Division One North

AFC Sudbury vs. Enfield Town
 Arlesey Town vs. Maldon Town
 Dartford vs. Ware
 Great Wakering Rovers vs. Bury Town
 Ilford vs. Edgware Town
 Northwood vs. Brentwood Town
 Potters Bar Town vs. Wivenhoe Town
 Tilbury vs. Waltham Forest
 Wingate & Finchley vs. Aveley
 Witham Town vs. Redbridge

Division One South

Chipstead vs. Metropolitan Police
 Corinthian-Casuals vs. Eastbourne Town
 Cray Wanderers vs. Croydon Athletic
 Horsham YMCA vs. Kingstonian
 Leatherhead vs. Dover Athletic
 Molesey vs. Burgess Hill Town
 Walton Casuals vs. Sittingbourne
 Whitstable Town vs. Walton & Hersham

FIXTURE CHANGES TABLE**Premier Division**

Match	Original Date	New Date
Folkestone Invicta vs. Staines Town	18 th February 2008	14 th April 2008
Hendon vs. Boreham Wood	24 th March 2008	1 st April 2008

Division One South

Match	Original Date	New Date
Eastbourne Town vs. Worthing	24 th March 2008	24 th March 2008 – kick-off 11.00 a.m.
Burgess Hill Town vs. Tooting & Mitcham United	11 th March 2008	8 th April 2008

LEAGUE TABLES*As at Saturday, 1st March 2008***PREMIER DIVISION**

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	GD
Chelmsford City	33	21	7	5	71	30	70	+41
AFC Wimbledon	33	18	8	7	64	33	62	+31
Hendon	32	14	9	9	64	50	51	+14
Staines Town	30	13	11	6	60	43	50	+17
Horsham	30	15	4	11	50	37	49	+13
AFC Hornchurch	33	14	7	12	48	41	49	+7
Billericay Town	32	13	9	10	50	43	48	+7
Margate	33	13	9	11	52	50	48	+2
Ramsgate	33	12	10	11	47	44	46	+3
Ashford Town (Middx)	30	13	6	11	54	49	45	+5
Harrow Borough	33	13	6	14	55	62	45	-7
Tonbridge Angels	32	11	10	11	56	51	43	+5
Heybridge Swifts	32	11	10	11	48	46	43	+2
Boreham Wood	32	13	4	15	48	53	43	-5
Harlow Town	31	10	10	11	45	39	40	+6
Carshalton Athletic	32	11	6	15	37	49	39	-12
Maidstone United	32	12	3	17	43	63	39	-20
Folkestone Invicta	31	10	7	14	35	46	37	-11
Wealdstone	31	10	6	15	50	60	36	-10
Hastings United	32	9	8	15	37	53	35	-16
East Thurrock United	30	9	8	13	33	49	34	-16
Leyton	33	4	4	25	31	87	16	-56

East Thurrock United FC deducted one point for playing an ineligible player

DIVISION ONE NORTH

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	GD
Dartford	33	22	6	5	91	35	72	+56
AFC Sudbury	32	20	7	5	77	28	67	+49
Ware	31	18	8	5	83	45	62	+38
Canvey Island	31	17	8	6	64	33	59	+31
Edgware Town	33	15	14	4	39	22	59	+17
Redbridge	32	17	8	7	54	35	58	+19
Maldon Town	33	16	8	9	60	46	56	+14
Bury Town	31	15	8	8	54	38	53	+16
Brentwood Town	31	14	9	8	52	40	51	+12
Enfield Town	33	15	6	12	53	51	51	+2
Aveley	33	13	10	10	46	55	49	-9
Great Wakering Rovers	33	12	8	13	51	45	44	+6
Northwood	31	11	10	10	51	50	43	+1
Arlesey Town	32	10	9	13	51	57	39	-6
Witham Town	31	10	4	17	55	78	34	-23
Waltham Abbey	30	8	7	15	30	60	31	-30
Wingate & Finchley	31	7	8	16	36	53	29	-17
Potters Bar Town	33	8	5	20	36	65	29	-29
Waltham Forest	32	5	11	16	33	55	26	-22
Tilbury	31	4	10	17	37	68	22	-31
Wivenhoe Town	32	5	3	24	33	72	18	-39
Ilford	33	3	5	25	30	85	14	-55

Redbridge FC deducted one point for playing an ineligible player

DIVISION ONE SOUTH

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	GD
Dover Athletic	33	24	7	2	73	25	79	+48
Tooting & Mitcham United	32	20	6	6	73	32	66	+41
Cray Wanderers	31	18	8	5	64	32	62	+32
Metropolitan Police	33	20	2	11	54	38	62	+16
Sittingbourne	33	17	5	11	41	43	56	-2
Worthing	33	16	6	11	56	38	54	+18
Dulwich Hamlet	33	15	8	10	48	36	53	+12
Walton & Hersham	32	14	9	9	53	43	51	+10
Kingstonian	33	14	9	10	51	42	51	+9
Burgess Hill Town	32	14	7	11	52	44	49	+8
Whyteleafe	32	14	5	13	43	42	47	+1
Chipstead	33	14	4	15	51	56	46	-5
Ashford Town	30	11	8	11	43	41	41	+2
Leatherhead	33	11	6	16	42	49	39	-7
Chatham Town	33	8	10	15	40	54	34	-14
Croydon Athletic	33	9	7	17	48	67	34	-19
Walton Casuals	32	7	12	13	40	54	33	-14
Eastbourne Town	32	8	9	15	44	60	33	-16
Whitstable Town	33	9	6	18	52	69	33	-17
Corinthian-Casuals	33	7	10	16	37	60	31	-23
Horsham YMCA	33	6	6	21	30	60	24	-30
Molesey	32	2	8	22	31	81	14	-50

PLAYER MOVEMENTS

Player	From	To	Date
Ashman, Kacey	Waltham Forest	Ilford	29 th February 2008
Bethell, Darren	Wivenhoe Town	AFC Sudbury	29 th February 2008
Davis, Daniel	Worthing	Horsham	29 th February 2008
Deane, Michael	Enfield Town	Brentwood Town	26 th February 2008
Harrison, Wesley S.	Walton & Hersham	Walton Casuals	29 th February 2008
Hussey, Billy J.	Corinthian-Casuals	Walton Casuals	25 th February 2008
Lodge, Daniel J.	Potters Bar Town	Leyton	27 th October 2008
Mansfield, Alan R.	Horsham	Horsham YMCA	26 th February 2008
Nash, Matt	Walton Casuals	Molesey	29 th February 2008
Ottley, Andrew P.	Horsham YMCA	Metropolitan Police	29 th February 2008
Potter, Alfie (Short term loan)	Peterborough United	AFC Wimbledon	29 th February 2008
Rayner, Ben	Horsham	Carshalton Athletic	1 st March 2008
Sackey, Emmanuel	Waltham Forest	Northwood	29 th February 2009
Skelton, Phillip	Brentwood Town	Aveley	29 th February 2008
Toner, Michael K.	Waltham Forest	Witham Town	26 th February 2008
Webb, Thomas J.J. (Short term loan)	Colchester United	Folkestone Invicta	28 th February 2008

RYMAN YOUTH LEAGUE

RESULTS

RESULTS

Monday, 25th February 2008

Burgess Hill Town Kanil 71	1 - 1	Tooting & Mitcham United Clachar 80	63
Worthing	0 - 0	AFC Wimbledon	60

Tuesday, 26th February 2008

Maidstone United Brann 13, Garner 41	2 - 1	Croydon Athletic Moody 79	25
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Wednesday, 27th February 2008

Carshalton Athletic Umanfunisse 60, Gouth 70	2 - 3	Leatherhead Hutchinson 30, 60, Cooper-Smith 88	40
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Isthmian Youth Cup – First Round

Staines Town King 6, Elliott 22, 36, Dwyer 46, 60, Jackson (Ryan) 50, McShane 70	7 - 2	Walton & Hersham Gjoni 2, 34	42
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Thursday, 28th February 2008

Horsham YMCA Oram 6	1 - 2	Horsham Surlis 49, Bissett 76	132
Kingstonian Chalke 35, Murphy 80	2 - 0	Tonbridge Angels	30

Isthmian Youth Cup – Second Round

Brentwood Town	0 - 2	Leyton Britnell 15, Imbert 87	25
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FIXTURES

Monday, 3rd March 2008

Burgess Hill Town vs. Maidstone United
Horsham vs. Carshalton Athletic

Tuesday, 4th March 2008

Staines Town vs. Croydon Athletic

Thursday, 6th March 2008

AFC Wimbledon vs. Kingstonian
Horsham YMCA vs. Leatherhead
Tooting & Mitcham United vs. Horsham
Isthmian Youth Cup – Second Round
Tonbridge Angels vs. Burgess Hill Town

Monday, 10th March 2008

Carshalton Athletic vs. Croydon Athletic
Horsham vs. Burgess Hill Town
Staines Town vs. Tonbridge Angels
Worthing vs. Horsham YMCA

Wednesday, 12th March 2008

Isthmian Youth Cup – Second Round
Molesey vs. Staines Town
Isthmian Youth Cup – Quarter-Final
Bury Town vs. Maidstone United

Thursday, 13th March 2008

AFC Wimbledon vs. Tooting & Mitcham United
Kingstonian vs. Croydon Athletic

FIXTURES

Leatherhead vs. Carshalton Athletic
Tonbridge vs. Horsham YMCA
Worthing vs. Horsham

Monday, 17th March 2008

Burgess Hill Town vs. Staines Town
Horsham vs. Leatherhead

Wednesday, 19th March 2008

Carshalton Athletic vs. AFC Wimbledon
Croydon Athletic vs. Kingstonian
Tonbridge Angels vs. Tooting & Mitcham United

Thursday, 20th March 2008

Horsham YMCA vs. Maidstone United
Staines Town vs. Worthing

Wednesday, 26th March 2008

Tonbridge Angels vs. Horsham
Tooting & Mitcham United vs. Burgess Hill Town

Thursday, 27th March 2008

AFC Wimbledon vs. Croydon Athletic
Kingstonian vs. Carshalton Athletic
Leatherhead vs. Staines Town
Maidstone United vs. Worthing

YOUTH LEAGUE TABLES

As at Saturday, 1st March 2008

PREMIER DIVISION	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	GD
AFC Wimbledon	17	10	2	5	43	33	32	+10
Croydon Athletic	11	10	0	1	33	11	30	+22
Leatherhead	13	8	3	2	42	23	27	+19
Kingstonian	14	8	2	4	45	16	26	+29
Worthing	14	7	3	4	38	16	24	+22
Tooting & Mitcham United	14	7	2	5	39	29	23	+10
Staines Town	13	7	0	6	27	26	21	+1
Burgess Hill Town	15	6	3	6	36	45	21	-9
Tonbridge Angels	12	5	3	4	18	16	18	+2
Maidstone United	12	4	0	8	16	27	12	-11
Horsham	12	2	2	8	15	42	8	-27
Carshalton Athletic	12	1	2	9	10	22	5	-12
Horsham YMCA	15	0	2	13	16	72	2	-56

NOTICEBOARD

HORSHAM YMCA FC

Club Secretary Bob Brading is unavailable from Sunday, 9th to Sunday, 16th March inclusive. All football related matters should be addressed in his absence to Robin Bishop – 01403 891622 or 0796 620 2955 – e-mail robin.bishop@t-d-s.com

NORTHWOOD FC

Club Secretary Alan Evans is unavailable from Sunday, 24th February to Friday, 7th March – please contact Vice Chairman Ken Green during this period - 0798 680 3807 - e-mail ken.green01@ntlworld or ken_green@rcr.ac.uk.

SITTINGBOURNE FC

John Pitts, Secretary of Sittingbourne Football Club, will be unavailable from Friday 29th February until Saturday 8th March. In his absence please contact Peter Pitts on 0778 590 6627

APPOINTMENTS OFFICER AVAILABILITY

Dave Cook and John Jones will be available on their mobile phones over the Easter period for emergency reappointments. This will apply from 5.00 pm on Thursday 20th March until 10.00 am on Tuesday 25th March.

Dave Cook will be on annual leave between Friday 7th March and Monday 17th March. During these times, please contact Chris Wildey Monday to Friday office hours and John Jones at other times (up to 7.00pm evenings and 11.00am Saturday).

CLUB GOSSIP

AFC WIMBLEDON

Romone Rose is relishing the chance to prove his worth to Dons boss Terry Brown after scoring his first league goal for the club against Margate on Tuesday night. The 18-year-old is on a work experience contract from Championship outfit QPR, but could be recalled at any time.

"It felt brilliant to score my first league goal for AFC Wimbledon," said Rose. I've been sitting on the bench but it's nice to start. I felt like I'd done well when I came on in those games, I worked hard and now that I've been given a start I've had a chance to show the manager and the fans what I'm made of.

"Terry said I did really well and told me to keep up the good work. I'm forming a good

partnership with Luis Cumbers - I like playing with him because he's a good player."

Rose says he has enjoyed the challenge of playing Ryman League football, and would be pleased to remain until the end of the season.

"I'm happy to stay," he said. "I like it here and I'm looking to score more goals and to learn. QPR can bring me back whenever they want so I don't know how long I'll be here, but I'm enjoying my time at Wimbledon. It's all good experience for me."

AFC SUDBURY

King's Marsh, the home of AFC Sudbury, has been chosen by the Football Association to host one of the semi-finals of the F.A. Carlsberg Sunday Cup.

On Sunday 16th March, AFC Sudbury will host the tie between Brantham Colts and Coundon Conservatives, the holders of the trophy.

AFC Secretary David Webb said, "We are delighted to have been selected by the F.A. to host the game, it shows that they think we as a club are capable of dealing with such a fixture. I'm sure that the game will attract quite a crowd."

The final will be held at Anfield in April.

ARLESEY TOWN FC

It is back to the old school for Arlesey Town until the end of the season.

After the departures of chairman Terry Back and player-manager Danny Honeyball, the Blues have moved quickly to address the managerial vacancy.

Matt Corbould, Lee Tekell and Andy Theodosiou - who all played a few years ago under the successful reign of Nicky Ironton - are the trio in charge until the end of the season.

A new permanent boss is expected to be appointed over the summer, while several names are in the frame to take over as chairman at Hitchin Road.

Several old boys have already returned or expressed an interest in returning to the playing ranks including the likes of Leon Gutzmore, James Dillnutt, Craig Reynolds, Martyn Young, Stuart Beavor, Paul Bloss and Dean McElroy.

BURGESS HILL TOWN FC

Sheheen Sadough scored for Burgess Hill Town on Tuesday in his second match after his return from Woodside Road.

The first-season Ryman League striker went back to Leylands Park last week after losing his confidence, partly from crowd reaction to his failure to score, ultimately in any of his nine starts or two substitute appearances in Rebels red. He was tried by Worthing's team management up front in a 4-4-2, and in a 5-4-1, then at wide-right midfield (though not at left-back . . .) but his inexperience will have been one factor in his lack of success.

However, back under Jamie Howell at Hillians, he was sent off on Saturday, then scored their goal in a 1-1 draw at Croydon Athletic on Tuesday that kept his club on the fringe of the scramble for the final promotion play-off place. The most pessimistic Rebels fans will be hoping Hillians do not strike gold with Sadough back on board and sneak that prized spot ahead of Worthing, whose joint-boss Alan Pook said the restoration of the player's confidence was the purpose of his release.

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CHELMSFORD CITY FC

Chelmsford City have added to their wealth of defensive talent by completing the capture of former Chelsea, Dundee and Columbus Crew player Joel Kitamirike.

Kitamirike, 23 years old and originally hailing from Uganda but developing in East London, can boast a U.E.F.A. Cup appearance for the Stamford Bridge outfit against Hapoel Tel Aviv as recently as 2001 and spent a period in the United States of America with M.L.S. outfit Crew.

With several key defenders carrying knocks or injuries, the Management Team have acted to bring in reinforcements and the calibre of the ex-Brentford and Mansfield Town prospect, who has also represented England at Under 15s level, will have pleased Jeff King and Glenn Pennyfather.

Joel has spent the majority of this campaign in the Blue Square Premier at Weymouth and has full international clearance to enable him to be selected for today's trip to Folkestone Invicta. Having spent time being nurtured at Chelsea alongside the likes of Marcel Desailly and Gianfranco Zola, it's hoped the Clarets' newcomer can have a positive impact on the team's push for the title.

CHELMSFORD CITY FC

"One point gained" was the positive attitude displayed by Head Coach Glenn Pennyfather following the Clarets' goalless draw at The Buzzlines Stadium, Folkestone, City putting their previous poor record in Folkestone behind them to add another point towards their quest for automatic promotion.

Chelmsford lost ground on second-placed A.F.C. Wimbledon who won at home to Hastings , reducing City's lead at the top to eight points, though that was of little concern to Jeff King's sidekick, who responded: "We would have expected Wimbledon to beat Hastings anyway so there's no surprises there. I took a look at the stats recently and that result is certainly one I could have predicted. On a lighter note, I also know we don't have a good historical record at this ground so we're glad of the point away from home."

Two massive games now present themselves as Chelmsford host fellow contenders Staines Town and the Dons both at Melbourne on successive Saturdays, and Glenn is under no illusions as to what form the task ahead takes: "You always look to win your home games and take at least a point from your away ones. We've had three clean sheets on the spin now and this can only help with our confidence in defence."

CRAY WANDERERS FC

By reaching the final of the Kent Senior Cup this season, Cray Wanderers have written yet another chapter in their relentless success story under manager Ian Jenkins.

Cray's route to the final began with wins against Maidstone United and Whitstable Town by 2-1 and 3-0, followed by last Tuesday night's astonishing 6-1 defeat of the holders Bromley in the semi-final at Hayes Lane.

Jenkins is the first manager in living memory to take Cray Wanderers into a Kent Senior Cup final, for the club's only previous appearance in the final was in 1901!

The Wands were defeated on that occasion, but Jenkins will hope that his in-form side can lift the cup when they take on the winners of the Margate v Ebbsfleet semi-final that is to be decided on 31st March. Cray do not yet know the venue or date of the final, but it will likely come at the end of a season that Jenkins hopes will also culminate in the Wands winning promotion from the Ryman Division One South into the Ryman Premier.

Cray's improving fortunes under Jenkins began in earnest with two consecutive Kent League championships in 2002-03 & 2003-04, earning promotion for the club into the Ryman Division One. That rise in status brought with it a return to playing in the Kent Senior Cup for the first time since 1975.

Jenkins and his players, and Cray supporters will undoubtedly look forward to their big end-of-season game in the Kent Senior Cup final come the end of the season. But the shrewd Cray manager will certainly be impressing on his players the continuing first priority of seeking promotion to the Ryman Premier.

Cray currently sit third in the Division One South table, unbeaten in nineteen League games and playing some cracking football. A continuation of that form should secure at least a place in the end-of-season play-offs, although Jenkins hasn't given up hope of overhauling the long lead enjoyed by table-topping Dover Athletic who will gain the one automatic promotion place if they are still top by 26th April.

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CROYDON ATHLETIC FC

Rams boss Jerry Scola left his post as First Team Manager by mutual consent this week. The Board and everyone associated with Croydon Athletic would like to thank Jerry for everything that he has done for the Club since he was appointed as Assistant Manager in season 2006/2007 and then Manager towards the end of the same season. He has worked extremely hard during his tenure and the Club would like to take this opportunity to thank him for all his hard work and dedication and to wish him well for the future.

Assistants Peter Booth and Peter Thomas took charge of the team against Burgess Hill Town at the KT Stadium.

The Club later in the week announced that Dave Garland had been appointed as the new First Team Manager. Dave joins Croydon Athletic from Whyteleafe FC where he has recently held the position of Assistant Manager having joined them earlier in the season from Carshalton Athletic FC who he managed for the past few seasons.

ENFIELD TOWN FC

Following Town's recent drop in form, Jim Chandler offered to step down as Manager of Enfield Town FC. Jim's resignation was accepted and the Club now look to appoint a

replacement.

It is a sad day for Town, where Jim Chandler has been manager since day one. An ex-Enfield FC manager, taking Preston North End to a replay at St Alban's Clarence Park, Jim helped to build the club, often literally, into what it is today. Drawing on a range of contacts, Jim built a team from scratch back in 2001 to begin playing friendlies and then moulded a formidable side finishing Runner's Up in the Essex Senior League in the debut season, and winners in only the second season of existence. Since then Town won the Essex Senior league a second time, and have only finished outside the top three once when they dropped to fourth spot. A host of trophies and Senior County Cup finals have marked the success of Jim's sides over the years.

Failing to clinch automatic promotion narrowly in recent years, Town were unable to progress via the Play off route. An unsettled side this season has left the club outside the play off places and struggling to recreate the form of previous seasons.

Jim has decided the time is right for change and he is to step aside from the club he loves and give some one else a chance. The club and its supporters cannot thank Jim enough for the huge contribution he has made over the years and wish him all the best for the future. He will always be welcome at Goldsdown Road.

Enfield Town Vice Chairman Martin Cantrell said 'Jim's contribution from the outset has been instrumental and cannot be underestimated. We can't thank him enough for what he has done and he will have a permanent place in the history of this club'.

Now it is time to move on and a successor will be announced shortly.

Saturday's game at home against Redbridge was Jim's last game in charge and it is hoped that Supporters will come along and show their appreciation for all Jim has done over the years.

FOLKESTONE INVICTA FC

FOLKESTONE Invicta manager Neil Cugley has pulled off a coup after signing a striker from Championship side, Colchester United.

Tom Webb, 19, has signed for the Ryman Premier League strugglers for a month and went straight into the side for Saturday's clash with league leaders Chelmsford. He has not

played for the club's first team in the league so far this season, although he has scored five goals for the U's second string this season.

A delighted Cugley told Kent News: "We are really pleased to sign Tom. Our strikeforce has been a problem all season as we have not been able to replace some of the good strikers that have left the club - now we hope we have a solution. He will give the strikers at the club competition for places. He is an out-and-out goal scorer and has a reputation of scoring a lot for the reserves and he can hold the ball up well.

"He should be able to play six games for us in his loan period and there is a chance we can extend the loan. He hasn't been getting a lot of first team football and this is an opportunity for him to express."

Cugley has been working hard trying to bring a striker to the Buzzlines Stadium and his contacts have come up trumps.

He said: "I have got a contact at Colchester and I have been on the phone to many clubs trying to find players. There are lot of league players that are going on loan to Ryman league clubs and it is always good to keep in favour with the big clubs, especially with Gillingham being the only big club in the county."

HENDON F.C.

When Hendon travelled to Leyton on 15th December, they had scored 39 goals and had amassed 39 points in the Ryman League Premier Division. It took only 67 minutes for the Greens to go to 50-goal mark as they registered a club Ryman League record 11-1 victory, all the goals coming in the final three-quarters of the game. Reaching the 50-point mark proved somewhat harder. In fact it took Hendon 77 days and 11 matches to move out of the 40s and, with their 1st March victory away to Horsham, the third-placed Greens were only two places lower down the table than where they were after winning at Leyton.

ILFORD F.C.

After a battling performance against Arlesey Town last Saturday, Ilford manager Les Whitton is confident his bottom-of-the-table side can escape relegation from Ryman League Division One. The Foxes are eight points from safety and are in danger of being relegated, but Whit-ton believes they are not finished with 10 games still to go.

"We can definitely stay up," Whitton said

confidently. "There are 30 points to play for and I'm greatly encouraged by what I have seen in the last two performances. We dominated both games from start to finish. Their attitude and work-rate was fantastic."

Ilford were narrowly beaten 2-1 at Arlesey Town in a game where the Foxes were unlucky not to take at least a point from.

"When you're down at the bottom your luck seems to go against you," Whitton lamented. Our luck will come though. The defence were maybe a bit naïve for both of their goals and with the first maybe took it a bit easy and should have closed down earlier. But it was a cracking goal and no keeper could have saved it."

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MAIDSTONE UNITED F.C.

MAIDSTONE United striker Lyndon Rowland is set to miss the rest of the season after damaging knee ligaments in Premier Division derby defeat against Tonbridge Angels.

the Ryman League The 32-year old experienced marksman scored his 10th goal of the season in the 2-1 defeat at Longmead Stadium, before limping off seven minutes from time. Joint-boss Alan Walker said: "It's a big blow to lose Lyndon. He has still to see a specialist, but I think he could be out for sometime. We will miss him because his work-rate and commitment are first class."

POTTERS BAR TOWN FC

Potters Bar Town Football Club boss Steve Browne has bolstered his attacking options by bringing in a new striker. Browne signed former East Thurrock United and Heybridge Swifts man Kenny Kennedy last Thursday.

The 22-year-old made his Scholars debut on Saturday in the 2-0 defeat away at Waltham Forest a week ago. Kennedy, who can also play wide, completed the full 90 minutes against the London club. Sam Adejokun partnered the new man up front, but despite having a few chances the duo did not manage to find the back of the net.

SITTINGBOURNE FC

Gary Abbott, manager of Sittingbourne Football Club since December, continues to bring new players to the club. His latest signing is 16 years old Antony Glover, brother of midfielder Bryan Glover. Antony impressed Abbott so much in training that he was immediately awarded a place on the bench for

last Tuesday's league match at home to Horsham YMCA. Eight of the players who featured in last Saturday's match at home to Walton & Hersham are players Gary has bought in.

Leaving Sittingbourne recently are Steve Hafner who has joined Chatham Town and two long serving players who have found it hard to get a place in the starting line up. They are James Campbell who is expected to join Walton & Hersham and Toby Ashmore. Also left is another long serving player, Kieran Marsh, who has embarked on a round the world trip.

Sittingbourne's goal keeping coach, Steve Williams, has stepped out of retirement for three matches to replace Chris Lewington who is serving a three match ban after being sent off against Metropolitan Police. Steve has certainly not lost his touch as proved by him keeping clean sheets against play off rivals Tooting & Mitcham and Walton & Hersham. Steve Williams first played for Sittingbourne as long ago as 1995.

Sittingbourne Football Club are holding a Sportsman's Dinner at the Sittingbourne Golf Club on Thursday 20th March 2008 with their guest the referee, the controversial & opinionated Graham Poll.

Graham Poll is an excellent after dinner speaker combining his sporting experiences with his experience of the sales world, producing a humorous and insightful view of the side of the referee & many other anecdotes from this beautiful game. Often controversial & certainly opinionated, a great evening's entertainment is anticipated.

Tickets are priced at £50 each, or £45 if buying ten. Contact Gary Johnson on 07957 424810 or Peter Harris on 07904 011732.

STAINES TOWN FC

Howard and Jake Newton of Staines Town became the club's first serving players to become full internationals over the weekend, when they appeared for their father's homeland, Guyana.

Having travelled to the South American country to take part in the training camp the previous Wednesday, the pair were included in the starting line-up for Guyana's match against one of the top Caribbean nations, Cuba, played at the GCC, Georgetown, a game which ended in a very creditable 0-0 draw.

TOOTING & MITCHAM UNITED FC

Tooting & Mitcham United Football Club starlet Dorian Smith admits he is on cloud nine after securing a contract with Championship heavyweights Charlton Athletic. The 20-year-old, whose silky skills have aided the Terrors' Ryman League Division One South promotion charge this season, signed for the London club on Monday.

And the midfielder confessed that the recent weeks had been something of a blur. "It has been a crazy six weeks to be honest," Smith said. I cannot believe this is happening. I have always had faith in my ability but it is nice for others to tell you you're good."

Smith has signed until the end of the season after impressing Addicks coaching staff while on trial. Part of the deal will see Smith loaned back to the Terrors for the title run-in.

Smith said: "Tooting boss Billy Smith is good friends with Alan Pardew and he told him to come and have a look at me. Then I went on trial there and I did well.

"If Tooting are playing, I will play for them. If they are not, I will play for Charlton."

The Peckham youngster will be hoping to follow the trail blazed by former Dulwich Hamlet star Chris Dickson, who made the move to the Valley 12 months ago.

Smith added: "Chris set the target for everyone in non-League football. I can learn a lot from him. He proved it was possible to make the jump. I just need to put my head down and concentrate. I will be working on my fitness; looking at what I am eating. I will not let anything distract me from my goal."

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TOOTING & MITCHAM UNITED FC

Tooting & Mitcham United Football Club Youth team reached the Final of the Surrey FA Under 18 Youth Cup this week when they beat Whyteleafe 3-2 in the semi-final on Thursday evening. Michael Antonio scored two of their goals, one from the penalty spot.

The will now meet Sutton United in the Final to be played on their own ground on Thursday, 1st May 2008.

WALTHAM FOREST FC

Ged Searson the manager of Waltham Forest added a further three names to his squad last night.

The first is Jordan Clarke, who is originally from Somerset but is currently playing for Greenwich University. Matthew Love has been signed from the same University team, and Michael Georghiou has made the switch from Frenford Seniors.

Meanwhile, Manny Sackey has been released and joined Northwood.

PLAYER AVAILABLE – SALISBURY CITY FC

Salisbury City FC have the following player available for temporary loan or permanent transfer from 3RD March 2008:

DANNY CLAY (Midfield) – Previous clubs - Exeter City, Crawley Town and Tiverton Town. The player is currently under contract with SCFC, and therefore no direct approach should be made. Enquiries should be directed to either Manager Nick Holmes, or Coach Tom Widdrington, at the Club on 01722326454 please.

WEEKLY STATS ATTACK

Top Goalscorers

(Up to and including Saturday, 1st March 2008)

PREMIER DIVISION		<i>Lge Goals</i>
Mark Nwokeji	Staines Town	23
Jon Main	AFC Wimbledon	19
<i>(includes 12 goals for Tonbridge Angels)</i>		
Reggie Savage	Heybridge Swifts	18
<i>(includes 15 goals for Croydon Athletic)</i>		
Carl Rook	Tonbridge Angels	17
<i>(includes 6 goals for Horsham)</i>		
Brian Haule	Hendon	17
James Pinnock	Margate	17
Wayne O'Sullivan	Hendon	16
Ricky Holmes	Chelmsford City	15
Kris Lee	AFC Hornchurch	14
Bradley Woods-Garness	Billericay Town	13
Simon Thomas	Boreham Wood	13
Bertie Brayley	Chelmsford City	12
Billy Bricknell	Billericay Town	11
<i>(includes 9 goals for Leyton)</i>		
Simon Parker	AFC Hornchurch	11
Stafford Browne	Heybridge Swifts	11

DIVISION ONE NORTH

DIVISION ONE NORTH		<i>Lge Goals</i>
Brendon Cass	Dartford	28
James Rowe	AFC Sudbury	26
John Frendo	Ware	20
Steve Wareham	Maldon Town	18
Sam Reed	Bury Town	17

Scott Nielson	Ware	16
Elliot Buchanan	Northwood	15
Kurt Smith	Tilbury	15
Martin Tuohy	Great Wakering Rovers	15
Kevin Hawes	Maldon Town	14
<i>(includes 10 goals for Witham Town)</i>		
Cody McDonald	Witham Town	13
Jay May	Dartford	13
Nicholas Rugg	Canvey Island	13

DIVISION ONE SOUTH

DIVISION ONE SOUTH		<i>Lge Goals</i>
Jon Henry-Hayden	Tooting & Mitcham Utd	18
Frannie Collin	Dover Athletic	18
Craig Carley	Metropolitan Police	18
Liam Baitup	Eastbourne Town	18
Steve Harper	Burgess Hill Town	17
James Dryden	Dover Athletic	16
Bobby Traynor	Kingstonian	15
Nana Badu	Walton Casuals	14
Danny Oakins	Chipstead	13
Paul Vines	Tooting & Mitcham Utd	12
Shawn Beveney	Dulwich Hamlet	12
Jamie Byatt	Tooting & Mitcham Utd	12

YOUTH LEAGUE

YOUTH LEAGUE		<i>Lge Goals</i>
Lyle Taylor	Staines Town	16
Michael Mullen	Kingstonian	11
Michael Antonio	Tooting & Mitcham Utd	11
David Fianyor	AFC Wimbledon	11
<i>(includes 5goals for Tooting & Mitcham United)</i>		
Lee Davison	AFC Wimbledon	11
Terry Dodd	Worthing	10
John Lansdale	Burgess Hill Town	10
Dan Moody	Croydon Athletic	10

Hat-trick heroes

(Week beginning Monday, 25th February)

There were no hat-tricks this week.

Best Attendances – Club by Club

(Up to and including Saturday, 1st March 2008)

PREMIER DIVISION	
3,124	AFC Wimbledon vs. Chelmsford City 1 st December 2007
1,935	Chelmsford City vs. Billericay Town 29 th December 2007
1,572	Billericay Town vs. Chelmsford City 27 th August 2007
1,536	Hastings United vs. AFC Wimbledon 17 th November 2007
1,508	Margate vs. Ramsgate 26 th December 2007
1,407	Staines Town vs. AFC Wimbledon 29 th December 2007
1,224	Maidstone United vs. AFC Wimbledon 5 th January 2008
1,030	AFC Hornchurch vs. Billericay Town 21 st August 2007

DIVISION ONE NORTH

1,402	Dartford vs. Waltham Abbey
	<i>18th August 2007</i>
738	AFC Sudbury vs. Dartford
	<i>9th February 2008</i>
409	Aveley vs. Dartford
	<i>29th December 2007</i>
382	Canvey Island vs. Great Wakering
	Rovers
	<i>23rd February 2008</i>
378	Waltham Abbey vs. Dartford
	<i>23rd February 2008</i>
310	Bury Town vs. Maldon Town
	<i>23rd February 2008</i>

DIVISION ONE SOUTH

1,215	Dover Athletic vs. Tooting and
	Mitcham United
	<i>19th November 2007</i>
1,041	Tooting & Mitcham United vs. Dover
	Athletic
	<i>1st March 2008</i>
1,002	Whitstable Town vs. Dover Athletic
	<i>27th August 2007</i>
855	Ashford Town vs. Dover Athletic
	<i>26th December 2007</i>
515	Chatham Town vs. Dover Athletic
	<i>19th January 2008</i>
484	Dulwich Hamlet vs. Dover Athletic
	<i>2nd February 2008</i>

Wins Analysis

(Up to and including Saturday, 1st March 2008)

PREMIER DIVISION

Matches Played:	350	
Home Wins	168	48.2 %
Away Wins	101	28.4 %
Draws	81	23.4 %
Home Goals	602	
Away Goals	476	
Total Goals	1,078	

DIVISION ONE NORTH

Matches Played:	351	
Home Wins	147	41.7 %
Away Wins	118	33.0 %
Draws	86	25.3 %
Home Goals	621	
Away Goals	495	
Total Goals	1,116	

DIVISION ONE SOUTH

Matches Played:	357	
Home Wins	150	42.2 %
Away Wins	128	35.8 %
Draws	79	22.0 %
Home Goals	563	
Away Goals	503	
Total Goals	1,066	

YOUTH LEAGUE

Matches Played:	87	
Home Wins	43	49.4 %
Away Wins	32	36.8 %
Draws	12	13.8 %
Home Goals	204	
Away Goals	174	
Total Goals	378	

League Form Guide *(Last six matches)*

PREMIER DIVISION

	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 AFC Wimbledon	5	0	1	20	4	15
2 Ashford Town (Mx)	4	2	0	14	5	14
3 Tonbridge Angels	4	1	1	12	7	13
4 Boreham Wood	4	0	2	8	5	12
5 Chelmsford City	3	2	1	8	5	11
6 Billericay Town	3	2	1	7	5	11
7 Heybridge Swifts	3	1	2	11	13	10
8 Harlow Town	2	2	2	8	7	8
9 AFC Hornchurch	2	1	3	10	8	7
10 Staines Town	1	4	1	11	11	7
11 Margate	2	1	3	10	10	7
12 Harrow Borough	2	1	3	10	11	7
13 Horsham	2	1	3	6	8	7
14 Wealdstone	2	1	3	10	15	7
15 Hastings United	2	1	3	8	13	7
16 Folkestone Invicta	1	3	2	8	9	6
17 Maidstone United	2	0	4	10	13	6
18 Ramsgate	1	3	2	6	9	6
19 East Thurrock United	1	3	2	4	9	6
20 Carshalton Athletic	1	2	3	5	9	5
21 Hendon	1	1	4	7	11	4
22 Leyton	0	1	5	3	18	1

DIVISION ONE NORTH

	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1 AFC Sudbury	5	1	0	15	4	16
2 Bury Town	5	1	0	11	2	16
3 Canvey Island	5	1	0	11	4	16
4 Dartford	4	2	0	16	4	14
5 Ware	4	1	1	11	7	13
6 Aveley	3	3	0	11	3	12
7 Great Wakering Rovers	4	0	2	10	3	12
8 Edgware Town	3	2	1	5	6	11
9 Redbridge	3	1	2	11	6	10
10 Maldon Town	3	1	2	12	8	10
11 Wivenhoe Town	3	0	3	13	10	9
12 Brentwood Town	2	2	2	9	9	8
13 Northwood	2	2	2	6	7	8
14 Witham Town	2	0	4	8	15	6
15 Arlesey Town	2	0	4	3	11	6
16 Waltham Forest	1	1	4	3	9	4
17 Tilbury	1	1	4	4	13	4
18 Waltham Abbey	1	1	4	4	14	4
19 Potters Bar Town	1	0	5	2	10	3
20 Enfield Town	1	0	5	4	14	3
21 Ilford	0	1	5	3	11	1
22 Wingate & Finchley	0	0	6	3	11	0

DIVISION ONE SOUTH		W	D	L	F	A	Pts
1	Dover Athletic	6	0	0	13	2	18
2	Metropolitan Police	5	0	1	10	5	15
3	Cray Wanderers	4	2	0	13	4	14
4	Worthing	4	0	2	11	7	12
5	Tooting & Mitcham Utd	4	0	2	10	6	12
6	Sittingbourne	4	0	2	6	4	12
7	Burgess Hill Town	3	2	1	15	12	11
8	Whitstable Town	3	1	2	12	10	10
9	Ashford Town	3	1	2	10	9	10
10	Leatherhead	2	2	2	10	9	8
11	Dulwich Hamlet	2	2	2	9	9	8
12	Walton & Hersham	2	2	2	9	10	8
13	Corinthian-Casuals	2	2	2	5	7	8
14	Eastbourne Town	2	1	3	12	13	7
15	Chipstead	2	1	3	10	11	7
16	Whyteleafe	2	1	3	7	9	7
17	Kingstonian	1	3	2	13	12	6
18	Walton Casuals	1	3	2	5	6	6
19	Chatham Town	1	1	4	4	8	4
20	Horsham YMCA	1	1	4	3	8	4
21	Croydon Athletic	0	3	3	3	10	3
22	Molesey	0	0	6	5	15	0

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