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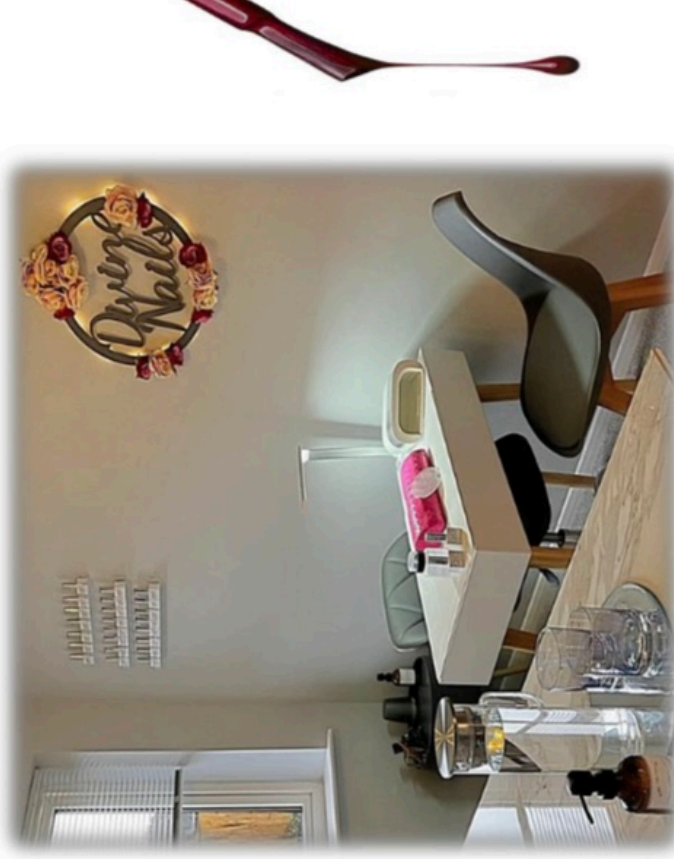




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U10: James Wickerson, Luke Taylor
U9: Peter Scanlon
U8: Tony Hill
U7: Andy Bridges
U6: Howard Griggs
U5: Howard Griggs

Girls

U16: Mark Hills
U15: Russ Barranca
U14: Chris Imhoff
U13: Dermot Sargent
U12: Rob Read
U11: Simon Nickols
U10: Ben Hunt
U9: Andy Goodwin
U8: Russ Barranca
U7(LA): Russ Barranca
U6(MA) Russ Barranca

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Club Honours

U18 SUSSEX COUNTY CUP WINNERS	2024
SOUTHERN COMBINATION PREM RUNNERS UP	2023
ISTHMIAN DIV 1 SOUTH MEMBERS	2011/14
SUSSEX COUNTY SENIOR CUP FINALISTS	2012
SUSSEX COUNTY LEAGUE CHAMPIONS	2010/11
SUSSEX COUNTY FA RUR CUP WINNERS	2010/11
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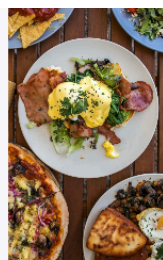
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WELCOME

to the haven

On behalf of all involved at Crawley Down Gatwick FC we extend a warm welcome to the players, management, officials and fans of Infinity FC. For this Sussex Senior Cup 1st round match That welcome also of course extends to the match officials.

Infinity: Have started well this season in Div 1 of the SCL presently lying in 11th Position with 10 points from 7 matches played. Last Saturday they drew 4-4 at home to Forest Row. Their last 5 matches have resulted in 1 win 3 losses and a draw.

Anvils: A slow start but they have steadily improved and now sit in 4th position in the premier league table with 15 points from 7 matches played. Their last 5 matches have resulted in 3 wins and 2 losses.

Next up for the Anvils:

Sat 14th Sep H Shoreham League 2pm
Tue 17th Sep H Midhurst RUR R2 7:30pm
Sa 21st Sep A Molesey FAV Q2 3pm
Tue 24th A Haywards Heath 7:45pm
Sat 28th H AFC Varndeanians 3pm

U18's: Have started with a league win away to Oakwood and a loss in the SCC away to Pagham last weekend.

Next up for the U18's

Sun 15th Sep away to Loxwood 11am
Sun 22nd Sep Home to Steyning Town 11am
Sun 29th Sep Away to Horsham 11am
Sun 13th Oct Home to Broadbridge Hth 11am

The Haven Cafe Bar: Is open to the general public. The Haven Bar welcomes all Football Club supporters before during and after matches. **SKY sports available in the Bar.**

The 300 Club

Aug Draw

1st: Ken Russell
2nd: Kitty Munday

Jul Draw

st: Kevin Jacobs
2nd: Michael Belli

The 300 Club is a Lottery to help with general Club funds. The cost is £5 Per month. If you are interested and want to help support please see a CDG Official to obtain a Standing order form or BACS details to pay on line.

Girls Football

From ages 5 through to 16. Any interested girls wishing to get involved please email the Club at cdgfc.girls@gmail.com so we can put you in touch with the correct Manager

On the Language front

Please remember there are Children in the Stadium so please mind your language. The CDGFC Players and Management Team have signed up to the respect code of conduct which includes a good language initiative and hope that our visitors today will have done also. That of course also includes YOU the supporters so please mind your language today.



Children are offered free entry for the season. We will also be offering any Child or Junior team to be a Mascot for a Home match and the chance to walk out with the team for the pre match handshake and have their picture taken. Pictures or Video's Must only be taken by Parents/Guardians



Our Visitors Today

Infinity FC

Infinity FC was founded in 2006 by Jody Hoare, Simon Tribe and Scott Finlayson after having bigger aspirations than our then club BTC. We joined the Winchester and district football league where we played our games out of the King George V playing fields in Winchester. During our 3 seasons in the Winchester league we reached 3 finals, 5 semi finals and were crowned champions In the 2008/09 season which allowed us to gain promotion to the Hampshire 2004 football league.

Our first season there we moved our home pitch to Tauntons College in Southampton due to FA ground grading requirements and it was our worst, although we reached another final we finished 2nd from bottom. After spending 3 more seasons in the Hampshire 2004 league, finishing runners up. reaching 2 more finals and a semi final we progressed into the Hampshire premier league division 1 for the 2013/14 season.

The first season in the Hampshire premier league division 1 was a tough but successful one where we finished 3rd behind Bush Hill (Millbrook) and Hamble club, the following season we moved ground to Knowle, again due to ground grading, and gained a brilliant chairman, now club president, in Paul Collins which had an immediate effect and saw us crowned champions of Hants one and won promotion to the Hampshire premier league senior division for the 2015/16 season.

All of the required ground work was completed to enable us to secure promotion and our first season in the senior division was a good one where we finished joint 6th place.

2016/17 was along hard season and although we reached another semi final, we finished 12th place on just 25 points. Before the start of 2017/18 season the club needed a shake up so we brought in highly successful and experienced management duo Dave Fear and Gavin Dobson to work alongside fantastic coach Daniel piper. This

led to a very successful season with numerous Infinity records broken, our highest league finish of (joint) second and another cup final.

The 2018/19 season was fantastic, reaching the semi final of the Hampshire cup. winning the Southampton intermediate cup and the league cup whilst shattering club records along the way and agonisingly missing out on league glory on the last day of the season. 2019/20 was all change and the start of our Hampshire league record breaking run of 38 games without defeat. Danny Thompson along with Ollie Bennett took the wheel and steered us on course for success in 2 cups and league glory but for Covid to shatter it all! Top of the league 20 wins in 24 games then NULL/VOID. The next season was really a non starter with less than half the games played before Covid stopped play again But there was to be a silver lining as we were granted promotion to the Wessex league for the first time in our history whilst having the best PPG over the previous 2 seasons in the Hampshire league.

The club has undergone many changes over the 15 years, but feel we have the structure now to allow us to progress as far as we dare to dream, with Roy Kingdon running the kitchen and gate on match days, Nikki Oliver along with Wickham parish supporting us, Craig Piper running Infinity youth, Andrew Parker being an excellent club secretary/ treasurer. Gary Boud as chairman and of course Paul Collins for being a fantastic president, groundsman and sponsor sky is the limit.

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07/09/2024

FIRST TEAM APPEARANCES 2024/2025

PLAYER		<---APPEARANCES--->				<-GOALS->			CAUTIONS			S B	S B	
		LGE	SUB	CUP	SUB	TOTAL	LGE	CUP	TOTAL	Y 24	Y 25	RED	Y 24	Y 25
Salami	Al-amin		1		1	2			0					
Josh	Alder	5	2	4	1	12	1	4	5	1				
Michael	Belli	2	1	3		6			0	2				
Alex	Bellingham	7		4		11			0					
Max	Bickell		1		1	2			0					
Josh	Brown	2	1	2		5			0	1				
Ollie	Cash			1		1			0					
Sam	Clements	5	1	1	3	10			0					
Charlie	Cooke	1	1	2		4			0	1				
Ricardo	De Ponte Silva		2	1	1	4			0					
Harvey	Enticknap	4	1	2	2	9			0					
Louis	Gates	5	1	5		11	1		1	3				
Luke	Georgiou		1			1			0					
Lewis	Gould	6		3	1	10		3	3					
Alex	Hayter		1			1			0					
Liam	Holden	5	1	3		9			0	3				
Luca	Intelligenza		1		1	2			0					
Callum	Kilkenny	5		4		9	2		2			1		
Szymon	Kowalczyk		1	1		2			0					
Adam	Lonsdale		1	1	1	3		1	1					
Jake	Neaves		1			1			0					
Charlie	Pitcher	2			1	3			0	1				
Louis	Pittock	5		3	1	9			0	1				
Ali	Rainford		1		2	3			0					
Jack	Ryder	4	1	3	1	9	2		2	1				
Sam	Schaaf		1			1			0					
Michael	Spence	4	1	3	2	10			0	4				
Alex	Tidy	5	1	3	2	11			0					
Beau	Walters	4	2	4	1	11			0	2				
Rhys	White	6	1	2	1	10		1	1				1	
	Own Goal							1						
Total's		77	27	55	23	182	7	9	15	20	0	1	1	0

08/09/2024

U18 YOUTH TEAM APPEARANCES 2024/2025

PLAYER		<---APPEARANCES--->				<-GOALS->			CAUTIONS			S B	S B	
		LGE	SUB	CUP	SUB	TOTAL	LGE	CUP	TOTAL	Y 24	Y 25	RED	Y 24	Y 25
Shiraz	Abdulai	1		1		2			0					
Alex	Barker	1		1		2			0					
Aaron	Bedford		1			1			0					
Reggie	Brooke				1	1			0					
Luca	Burton				1	1		1	1					
Sam	Butcher				1	1			0					
Alex	Clarke		1	1		2			0	1				
Joshua	Clements	1		1		2			0					
Jack	Duncan	1		1		2			0					
Morgan	Evans		1			1			0					
Joe	Hill			1		1			0					
Albert	Holroyd	1				1			0					
Toby	Jenkins			1		1			0					
Max	Jones		1		1	2			0					
Sam	Leroy			1		1			0					
Louis	Malone	1				1			0					
Towa	Mphande	1				1			0					
Ronit	Naidu		1	1		2			0					
Ben	Pike	1				1			0					
Callum	Swaine	1				1	2		2					
Freddie	Walsom	1		1		2	1		1					
Isaac	Wells			1		1			0					
Lucas	Welton	1				1			0					
	Own Goal								0					
Total's		11	5	11	4	31	3	1	4	1	0	0	0	0

FROM the typewriter

These are exciting times to be part of Crawley Down Gatwick Football Club and particularly exciting to be part of the junior set-up. When I first got involved in this club, there were 11 junior sides – all boys' teams, some of whom had girls playing for them. I remember that, as a club, we tried to get a girls' team off the ground but there was simply not enough interest. But we were a club open to 'football for all' long before the explosion of girls' football. In fact, I was so impressed by the ability of three of the girls at our unsuccessful trials day that I offered them all places in my age group side which was otherwise made up of boys and those three girls went on to do very well for the club and for themselves.

Roll on 16 years from when I first got involved and we go into the 2024-25 season with a record number of teams for the club – 27 junior teams or training groups, offering football at every age level from U5s up to U16s. For our 'open' age groups (which are essentially boys' teams which are open to girls – and some girls do play in those teams), it is pleasing to have at least one team and often two at each age level, because for a number of years we have had one team missing. Last year we had no U16s team but, due to progression, we now have two.

For the girls' teams, this season we will have eight teams playing in the Sussex County Women's and Girls' League from U9s up to U16s and in addition we have a training-only group which encompasses U6s, U7s and U8s. Girls at U5s level can get involved through our 'open' U5s group, which I happen to run.

Why are we excited about this? Because simply this is the lifeblood of a club like Crawley Down. If you can get players coming through the junior set-up through to the first team, then that is an advantage on so many levels. That is very much the case with the likes of Alex Bellingham, Callum Kilkenny, Alex Tidy and Lewis Gould being regulars in the opening games of the season, having all featured previously in our junior set-up.

What you get with players coming through to the first team like this is individuals with in-built attachment to the club, who in turn become as an inspiration to those still in the junior set-up. It was great to Alex Bellingham and Alex Tidy on stage handing out medals and trophies at our Junior Presentation League in May – having both been on stage in previous years as players with their junior teams.

I have talked about a pathway through to the first team and that, of course, is just for boys at the moment, but next season we will have a girls' U18s side and very soon we will have a women's side, so that the same pathway to the first team will exist for girls.

Also, this summer we have been running football holiday camps at the club for boys and girls for the first time and they have proved to be very successful.

We have also expanded to an extent as a junior section in that we have taken over lease rights to the ground and facilities at Felbridge, which were formerly used by the now defunct Felbridge Football Club. Alongside our pitches at the Haven Centre and King George V Playing Field, this gives the club more pitch space for matches and training, as well as changing facilities for our older junior sides as they start the transition to U18s football and beyond.

As said, these are exciting times to be part of this club and we are very excited about the future.

Best wishes to all our junior teams as they begin their new seasons.

Enjoy the game.
HOWARD GRIGGS



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FROM 'The Dugout'



Good evening everyone and welcome back to the Haven for tonight's Sussex county cup game against Infinity.

I start every note by welcoming the opposition to the Haven, so for everyone involved at infinity, We wish you a very safe trip and enjoy your time with us at the Haven this evening.

I have to be honest and say I don't really know much about tonight's opponents - Infinity FC. I'm looking forward to meeting the management team and also the group of players this evening. From what I know the club has moved around the Hampshire and Wessex leagues over the last few years and now they are out of Sidlesham and started this season in SCD1.

They come into tonight's fixture off the back of a 4-4 draw with Forest Row on Saturday.

Reflecting on our past week. The boys had two trips away to Petersfield last week, playing in the Peter Bentley cup on Tuesday and the league on Saturday... so we've put a few miles on the clock.

Unfortunately, Tuesday we came away with nothing after a solid performance where we pretty much controlled the game for 75mins. Sadly it wasn't to be our night and we left the Peter Bentley cup, losing 4-3 on penalties.

Saturday was a different story all together, back in the league and with 3 points up for grabs. I was always optimistic and knew we would cause Petersfield problems so great to bounce back with the win.

Tuesdays game gave us an opportunity to suss them out and come up with a game plan going into Saturday, but when you consider we were without the likes of Belli, Spenno, JB, Gould, Cooke, Pittock and Ryder. 5-0

away speaks volumes for the depth and quality we have in our squad this year.

The boys were superb, running the show from start to finish. Everyone was focused and executed the game plan perfectly and we blew them away in the 2nd half. The passion and togetherness from the boys was inspiring and we scored 4 top class goals but our 5th really demonstrated how focused we were.

Josh Alder snapped onto a quick free kick played back to the Petersfield Keeper stealing the ball, rounding him and walking it into the empty net with the whole stadium in shock for what they have just witnessed.

The work rate and desire was brilliant so really pleased with Saturdays result.

Alex Tidy and Liam Holden joint MOMs after masterclass performances. Thoroughly deserved gents but we really could have done with a case of wine for Saturday because each man to his own could have come away with MOM.

Hopefully the gaffer has bought a couple of cases back from the Algarve after a few days break with his family. We will see...

Unfortunately we seem to have lost Beau for 6-8 weeks with a reoccurring ankle sprain suffered in the first half.
Speedy recovery Beau :)

Back to tonight, Get on down to support the boys and Have a great evening everyone. Thanks for all your ongoing support this season, it really is appreciated.

Take care and enjoy tonight's game.

Cranie

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A message from The FA & endorsed by CDG about anti-social and criminal behaviour

As we commence the new season we want to make you aware of new measures being taken across all of football, and the NLS, to ensure everyone can have a safe and enjoyable experience. We are supporting strong action from the FA, and across the NLS to tackle anti-social and criminal behaviours that put all of us at risk.

Please remember the following activities are illegal, dangerous, have serious consequences and have no place in our game:

- Carrying or using smoke bombs or pyros
- Invading the pitch or entering the pitch without permission
- Throwing objects onto the pitch
- Drug use within the football ground
- Discriminatory behaviour

For everyone's safety, we will report anyone carrying out these offences to the police, which can result in a criminal record.

Anyone who enters the pitch without permission and those carrying or using smoke bombs or pyros will now receive an automatic club ban. These measures could also now apply to the parents or guardians of children involved in these activities.

This reflects the seriousness of the risks to fans and staff – pyros can burn at 2000 degrees Celsius and cause life-changing injuries, while entering the pitch endangers players, managers and match officials. It also impacts the hard working volunteers, who ensure that our special part of the game continues to run.

We know those who commit these illegal acts do not represent the majority of supporters. Please work with us to call out the risks.

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FROM

'The Chair'



Good evening and welcome once again to The Haven on another Tuesday night.

This evening's guests are Infinity FC and I believe this is the first time we have played them so should be an exciting fixture. A warm welcome to the officials, players and supporters.

Since my last notes we have played three games and they continue to come thick and fast. The Saturday before last saw us victors against Loxwood at home in a thrilling 3-2 win. The game had everything including cards, penalty drama and an exhilarating performance from both teams

This was closely followed by a 0-0 draw to Petersfield, away in the cup, which for a no score game was as good a game as I've seen. However, we eventually capitulated on penalties and wish Petersfield the best of luck in the coming rounds.

We then returned to Petersfield last Saturday in the league, and put in the performance of the season so far, and took Petersfield to the sword with a stunning 5-0 victory. I can honestly say that the team spirit and determination is something we should be very proud of. James and the coaching team have done an immense job to date, with so many changes in the team and with injuries keeping our physio Vicky extremely busy in her first season!

This weekend saw all our youth teams return to league action, which is always a joy to see. We're immensely proud of our 28 teams of youngsters and look forward to following their progress throughout the season and we are eternally grateful to our army of volunteers who make all this possible.

Seeing six former youth players involved in the first team for Saturday's fixture, proves the strength of our pathway and how important the youth section is to the whole club.

We look forward to this evening's home game under the lights.

Thanks for all your support and enjoy the match.

Dave



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SOUTHERN COMBINATION LEAGUE

Up to and including Sat 7th September 2024

PREMIER DIVISION		P	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	GD	Pt
1	Hassocks	7	5	1	0	13	5	0	1	0	2	2	8	17
2	Haywards Heath Town	6	4	0	0	8	0	1	1	0	4	1	11	16
3	Peacehaven & Telscombe	7	2	0	0	6	0	3	0	2	7	5	8	15
4	CRAWLEY DOWN GATWICK	7	4	0	0	13	7	1	0	2	6	9	3	15
5	Loxwood	7	3	2	0	12	7	1	0	1	3	3	5	14
6	Petersfield Town	7	2	0	1	7	5	2	1	1	7	5	4	13
7	Horsham YMCA	7	2	1	1	8	4	1	2	0	8	5	7	12
8	Newhaven	7	3	2	0	13	10	0	0	2	3	6	0	11
9	Roffey	7	2	2	1	6	3	0	2	0	1	1	3	10
10	Wick	7	0	2	1	3	4	2	2	0	6	4	1	10
11	Bexhill Utd	7	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	3	14	15	-1	8
12	Saltdean Untied	7	1	1	0	3	0	1	0	4	7	7	3	7
13	Pagham	7	1	1	3	7	7	1	0	1	2	3	-1	7
14	Midhurst & Easebourne	6	2	0	2	5	6	0	1	1	0	2	-3	7
15	Crowborough Ath	7	1	2	2	9	12	0	0	2	2	4	-5	5
16	Lingfield	6	1	1	0	4	3	0	1	3	4	10	-5	5
17	Shoreham	7	1	1	2	3	8	0	1	2	3	7	-9	5
18	AFC Varndenians	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	3	5	11	-6	4
19	Eastbourne United	7	0	0	2	0	3	0	2	3	4	9	-8	2
20	Little Common	6	0	1	1	3	4	0	0	4	0	14	-15	1

SOUTHERN COMBINATION LEAGUE

Up to and including Sun 7th September 2024

U18 DIVISION NORTH		P	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	GD	Pt
1	Roffey	2	1	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	4	2	6	6
2	Horsham	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	7	0	7	3
3	Loxwood	1	1	0	0	6	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	3
4	CRAWLEY DOWN GATWICK	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	3	3
5	Horsham Crusaders	2	0	0	1	2	4	1	0	0	5	3	0	3
6	Steyning Town	1	0	0	1	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	-2	0
7	Oakwood	1	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	-3	0
8	Broadbridge Heath	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	6	-4	0
9	Southwater	2	0	0	1	0	7	0	0	1	0	4	-11	0



COMMUNITY CLUB

ANVILS 'The History'



Crawley Down Gatwick FC have made a remarkable rise from parks football to the Ryman League in less than 20 years. The club was only formed in 1993 but have enjoyed the type of success many could only hope for in their short history. In 2011 Sussex County League title success and promotion to Step 4 Football was followed by an appearance at the AMEX in the Sussex Senior Cup Final in 2012.

1983-95 Delving back into the history books to 1983, Crawley Down United could be found nestled in Division Six of the Mid Sussex League. By 1988 the club had risen to Div One, winning three league titles and finishing runners-up on two occasions. After three seasons in Div One they won promotion to the Premier Division as runners up to Lindfield. **1993/94** culminated in a merger of four local sides and adopting the name Crawley Down Village they finished third in the following season. 1994/5 they claimed their first Premier Division title by a massive margin of ten points from 2nd placed Wealden.

1995-2003 In 1995 the Anvils joined the Sussex County League Division Three. In the first season they finished second and found themselves making an even swifter move into Senior Football. They also reached the final of the Intermediate Cup. The first two seasons in Division Two provided much sought after consolidation but in the 1998-99 season they finished in a promotion position but only to be denied a place in Division One because they could not persuade Mid Sussex District Council to allow the installation of floodlights in time. The following season they thought they had finished in a promotion spot again only to be thwarted by a late decision to award Lancing three extra points after Mile Oak had fielded an illegible player. The next four seasons were not so easy for the club with changes of management and they finished no higher than 11th in that period.

The 2004-07 era was better as they finished tenth and fifth and In the Division Two Cup, they reached the semi-final stage two years running. 2006-07 was a struggle only staying up after an outstanding finish to the season loosing just two of the last 14 matches. Cup form: Q/F of the Sussex RUR Cup and the Div Two Cup.

2007-08 was a massive year for the club as the culmination of 10 years' hard work behind the scenes paid off with the Anvils given the go ahead to upgrade facilities. Floodlights, hard standing and stands followed and were in place for the start of the new season. The Team finished 6th and reached the semi-final of the John O'Hara League Cup. In the FA Vase they reached the 4th round losing away at Brockenhurst. The Anvils also entertained Brighton & HA in the Sussex Senior Cup. By now, the club were gaining momentum on and off the pitch and they finally won promotion to Div One with a third place finish.

2009-2010 Many expected the Division One new boys to struggle but they defied the odds to enjoy a tremendous season, finishing eighth in the league and enjoying good cup runs in the FA Cup and FA Vase as well as reaching the League Cup Final.

2010-11 Proved to be the most successful season in the club's history as the Anvils won the County League Division One and promotion to the Isthmian League by a margin of 15 points as well as winning the RUR Cup. They reached the semi-finals of both the John O'Hara and the Sussex Senior Cups where they lost to Blue Square prem side Eastbourne Borough. **2011-14** Saw the Club compete in the Isthmian South for the first time and the Club set about building a team to compete at this level, finishing in 15th place and also getting to the Sussex Senior Cup Final at the AMEX, losing out in the last minute to Ryman South Champions Whitehawk. A name change to Crawley Down Gatwick FC was approved highlighting the wider area to which the Club is now associated. **2012/13** Season started remarkably well with the team topping the Ryman South table through to November but finally finishing in 13th position. Forced Manager changes meant a massive dip in form in **2013/14**, which saw the Anvils end up second to bottom and relegation.

2014/15 The Club rejoined the Sussex County League, unfortunately a 2nd relegation followed to the newly named Southern Combination League Div 1. **2015/16** saw the revival of the side under Paul Cooper as the rebuilt Anvils challenged at the top all season, finally finishing in 2nd place to Haywards Hth Town and 14 points clear of 3rd placed Oakwood to gain promotion back to the Southern Combination Premier Division.

2017-23 Back in the SCL Prem the side continued its improvement finishing in a mid table position and reaching the RUR Cup Final in that first year. The following season they achieved a mid table finish and a PB cup Semi final. James Day took over the side from **2018-19** and did well in his first season as the side finished in 9th place with 57 points. **2019/21** Covid dominated and the League was abandoned with CDG in 6th Pos. **21-22** the team again ended mid table and a run to R3 of the FA Vase. **22/23** Proved to be a very good season with The Anvils finishing in 2nd place behind Broadbridge Hth & losing out on promotion to Isthmian side Sutton Common Rovers in a promotion play off.

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Southern Combination League Premier Div RES & FIX 2024-2025

Date	h/a	KO	Opposition	Comp	Result	Goals
JUL						
27-Jul-24	Sat	a	3:00 Pagham	League	0-5	L
AUG						
03-Aug-24	Sat	a	3:00 Holmesdale	FAC Ex Prel Rd	1-0	W Lewis Gould
06-Aug-24	Tue	H	7:30pm Newhaven	League	4-3	W Jack Ryder 2, Josh Alder, OG
10-Aug-24	Sat	H	3:00 Little Common	League	3-0	W Callun Kilkenny 2 Louis Gates
13-Aug-24	Tue	H	7:30pm Eastbourne Utd	League	3-2	W Lewis Gould, Rhys White, Louis Pittock
17-Aug-24	Sat	a	3:00 Steyning Town	FAC Prel Rd	1-3	L Josh Alder
20-Aug-24	Tue	H	7:30pm Roffey	SCFA RUR R1	4-2	W Josh Alder 3 Lewis Gould
24-Aug-24	Sat	a	3:00 Ash Utd	FA Vase Q1	3-2	W Adam Lonsdale, Lewes Gould, Rhys White
26-Aug-24	Mon	a	11:00 Hassocks	League	1-4	L Callum Kilkenny
31-Aug-24	Sat	H	3:00 Loxwood	League	3-2	W Sam Clements, Callum Kilkenny, Michael Spence
SEP						
03-Sep-24	Tue	a	7:45 Petersfield Town	PB Cup R2	0-0	L Lost on Pens 4-2
07-Sep-24	Sat	a	3:00 Petersfield Town	League	5-0	W Charlie Pitcher 2, Josh Alder 2, Ryhs White
10-Sep-24	Tue	H	7:30 Infinity	Sx Sen Cup R1		
14-Sep-24	Sat	H	2:00 Shoreham	League		
17-Sep-24	Tue	H	7:30 Midhurst & Easebourne	SCFA RUR R2		
21-Sep-24	Sat	a	3:00 Molesey	FA Vase Q2		
24-Sep-24	Tue	a	7:45 Haywards Heath Town	League		
28-Sep-24	Sat	H	3:00 AFC Varndeanians	League		
OCT						
01-Oct-24	Tue	H	7:30 Peacehaven & Telscombe	League		
05-Oct-24	Sat	a	3:00 Lingfield	League		
12-Oct-24	Sat	H	3:00 Wick	League		
19-Oct-24	Sat					Or FAV R1
26-Oct-24	Sat	a	3:00 Saltdean Utd	League		
NOV						
02-Nov-24	Sat	H	3:00 Midhurst & Easebourne	League		
09-Nov-24	Sat					Or FAV R2
16-Nov-24	Sat	H	3:00 Horsham YMCA	League		
23-Nov-24	Sat	a	3:00 Bexhill Utd	League		
30-Nov-24	Sat	H	3:00 Crowborough Ath	League		
DEC						
07-Dec-24	Sat	a	3:00 Little Common	League		Or FAV R3
14-Dec-24	Sat	a	3:00 Eastbourne Utd	League		
21-Dec-24	Sat	H	3:00 Hassocks	League		
26-Dec-24	Thu	a	11:00 Roffey	League		
28-Dec-24	Sat	H	3:00 Haywards Heath Town	League		
JAN						
04-Jan-24	Sat	a	3:00 Shoreham	League		
11-Jan-24	Sat					Or FAV R4
18-Jan-24	Sat	H	3:00 Pagham	League		
25-Jan-24	Sat	a	3:00 Newhaven	League		
FEB						
01-Feb-24	Sat	a	3:00 Loxwood	League		Or FAV R5
08-Feb-24	Sat	H	3:00 Petersfield Town	League		
15-Feb-24	Sat					
22-Feb-24	Sat	H	3:00 Saltdean Utd	League		
MAR						
01-Mar-24	Sat	a	3:00 Horsham YMCA	League		Or FAV R6
08-Mar-24	Sat	a	3:00 Wick	League		
15-Mar-24	Sat	H	3:00 Lingfield	League		
22-Mar-24	Sat	a	3:00 Crowborough Ath	League		
29-Mar-24	Sat					Or FAV SF 1st Leg
APR						
05-Apr-24	Sat	H	3:00 Bexhill Utd	League		Or FAV SF 2nd Leg
12-Apr-24	Sat	a	3:00 AFC Varndeanians	League		
19-Apr-24	Sat	a	3:00 Peacehaven & Telscombe	League		
21-Apr-24	Mon	H	11:00 Roffey	League		
26-Apr-24	Sat	a	3:00 Midhurst & Easebourne	League		
MAY						
						Or FAV Final 10/11 May

To be added

PB League Cup, Sussex Senior Cup, RUR Cup All Likely Tue/Wed Evenings.

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Date		h/a	KO	Opposition	Comp	Result	Goals
SEP							
01-Sep-24	Sun	a	11am	Oakwood	YSN	3-0	W Callum Swaine 2, Freddie Walsom
08-Sep-24	Sun	a	11am	Pagham	SCCR1	1-4	L Luca Burton
15-Sep-24	Sun	a	11am	Loxwood	YSN		
22-Sep-24	Sun	H	11am	Steyning Town	YSN		
29-Sep-24	Sun	a	11am	Horsham	YSN		
OCT							
13/010/2024	Sun	H	11am	Broadbridge Heath	YSN		



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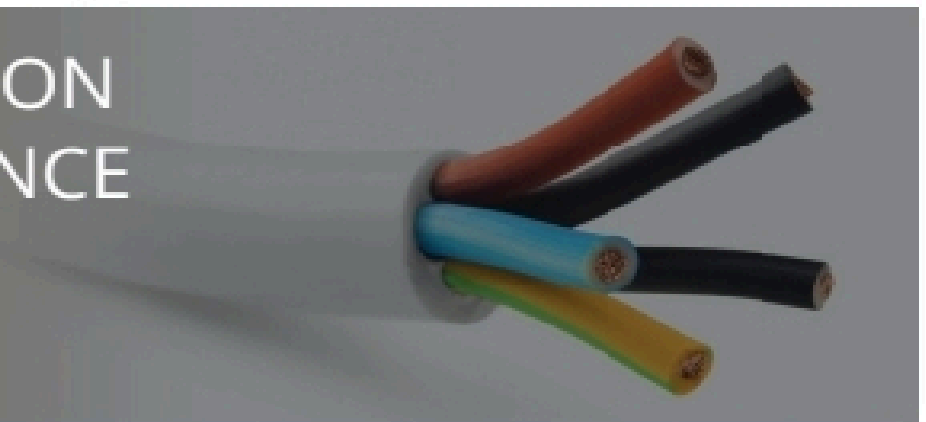
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Y/R	Goals	From
		Joshua Alder 1
		Michael Belli 2
		Alex Bellingham 3
		Max Bickell 4
		Josh Brown 5
		Ollie Cash 6
		Sam Clements 7
		Charlie Cooke 8
		Ricardo De Ponte Silva 9
		Harvey Enticknap 10
		Louis Gates 11
		Luke Georgiou 12
		Lewis Gould 13
		Alex Hayter 14
		Liam Holden 15
		Luca Intelligenza 16
		Callum Kilkenny 17
		Szymon Kowalczyk 18
		Jake Neaves 19
		Marc Pelling 20
		Charlie Pitcher 21
		Louis Pittock 22
		Ali Rainford 23
		Jack Ryder 24
		Sam Schaaf 25
		Michael Spence 26
		Alex Tidy 27
		Beau Walters 28
		Rhys White 29
		Billy Wraight 30

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 White :Socks

From	Goals	Y/R
Angelo Harris		
Archie Scott		
Ben Sillence		
Callum Barker		
Christopher Clark		
Daniel Lewis		
Harry Fox		
Harry Osman		
Harry Shaun Tanner		
Joshua Cooper		
Joshua Hazell		
Lewis Edwards		
Liam Brewer		
Lincoln Pepall		
Louie O'Brien		
Mackenzie Morgan		
Mark Smith		
Perry Easton		
Phillip Archbold		
Tanatswa Kanjanda		
Thomas Tierney		
Stanley Dean Bridgman		
Freddie Firman		
Joseph Warren		
Harley Taylor		
Ashley Harris		
Laurie McIntosh		
Braydon Williams		
Callum Parker		
Liam Bush		

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 Richard Hughes
 Martin Benetar
 Physio: Vicki Mackley

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 Ref: Mark Gidman
 Ass: Dylan Bailey
 Ass: Matthew James

Manager: Rich Bessey
 Coach: Lewie Edwards
 Richard Harding
 Dan Bishop
 Physio: Gemma Etherington

Next Home Fixtures

Sat 14/09: Shoreham	2:00pm
Tue 17/09: Midhurst & Ease	7:30pm
Sat 28/09: AFC Varndeanians	3:00pm

Next Away Fixtures

Sat 21/09: Molesey FA Vase	3:00pm
Tue 24/09: Haywards Hth Town	7:45pm
Sat 05/10: Lingfield	3:00pm