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NYIMA TOURAY – Ladies Team Manager



WELLINGTON AFC Club History

Formed in 1892, we are proud to be an FA Accredited Club. Initially, the club played in leagues based around Taunton and Tiverton. In the early 1960s, we gained promotion to the Somerset Senior League and succeeded in achieving Western League status in 1978 which has been retained ever since, making us one of the league's longest continuously-serving members.

The First Team entered the Western League in the First Division in the 1978-79 season and played at Premier Division level from 1981-82 to 1984-85 and 2008-09 to 2010-11. The team were then promoted as First Division Champions at the end of the 2016-17 season. In their first season back in the Premier Division, the team finished a creditable 15th and also reached the semi-final of the Somerset Premier Cup losing 4-1 away to Southern League club Paulton Rovers. The following season, the team finished in 16th place but unfortunately, the next two campaigns were brought to an early conclusion by the Coronavirus pandemic.

Last season provided new challenges for the team, including starting the season with a trip to Mousehole and a final match at Helston on Easter Monday. The side achieved their highest position in the Toolstation Premier League since the 2009-10 season (14th) and equaled the club's longest run in the FA Vase (third round). The 2022-23 season again presents new challenges and new grounds to visit with teams being promoted to and relegated into the Premier Division. Joint managers Tim Legg and Alex Pope are again in charge of the side.

The Reserves were top of Division One West in the Devon and Exeter League when the 2020-21 season was terminated due to the Covid pandemic. The league took the opportunity to restructure for the start of the 2021-22 season and move away from the East and West Divisions and, as a result, the Reserves were placed in Division One where they finished in fifth place. Although there has been some movement of teams within the league the Reserves, under new manager, Nick Buttle, have remained in Division One for this season.

Having played in the Devon and Exeter League for a number of seasons, the A team transferred to Division Three of the Taunton Saturday League for the 2018-19 season when they finished a creditable third, gaining promotion to

Division Two for the 2019-20 season. They gained further promotion to Division One for the 2020-21 season and were topping the table when the season was forced to end due to the Covid pandemic. They won their group in the league's Covid Cup and also won the Seward Cup held over from 2019-20. Last season they finished in fifth place and, under manager Warren Toth, are in Division One again this for this campaign.

The club's Ladies played in the Somerset County Women's League Division Two (Flexi) in the 2020-21 season, finishing a creditable third when the season resumed. Last season they again played in Division Two where they finished in second place and reached the quarter-finals of the League Knock-Out Cup. Under manager Nyima Touray, they have been promoted to Division One for the 2022-23 campaign. This season there is also an additional Ladies Development Team, giving the opportunity for players to progress from the Wildcats Under 16s to senior football.

Last season, our youth teams once again performed well in their respective league and cup competitions, notably the Under 14s Town won their division and were runners-up in the league cup while the Under 12s United and Under 15s Town teams both finished runners-up in their division. All the other youth teams, boys and an increasing number of girls, acquitted themselves well and continue to be run by a small army of enthusiastic volunteers.

Our three Disability teams also performed well in their league and, this season, instead of three adult teams, we have two adult teams and a youth team.

In total this season, the club are running no fewer than 33 teams.

We continue to work with the town and district councils to pursue the club's attempts to establish a new First Team facility on land on the new Longforth Farm Estate on the edge of the town. This would then free-up the Playing Field for other teams to use. We are also working with the Wellington Sports Federation on the Somerset West and Taunton Playing Pitch Strategy regarding other land in the town where it is proposed a number of youth sports pitches would be provided.

Outside our core footballing activities, Wellington AFC is home to several darts and skittles teams and we run a full programme of social events for members and non-members alike with the impressive Function Room and Lounge available for hire.

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Saturday 22nd October – kick-off – 3.00pm FA Vase First Round Proper WELLINGTON v BARNSTAPLE TOWN

Tuesday 25th October – kick-off - 7.30pm Western Counties Floodlight Youth League WELLINGTON UNDER 18s v CHARD TOWN UNDER 18s

Saturday 29th October – kick-off 3.00pm Toolstation Western League Premier Division WELLINGTON v BRIDGWATER UNITED



Our next Past Players' Reunion will take place at the first-team's home game against Saltash United on Saturday, November 19th.

Tickets cost £10 which includes a fish and chips lunch with a drink and match entry – the get-together starts at noon with the game kicking off at 2pm.

To register your attendance, please call Jason Hawkings on 07747 868154.



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WELLINGTON FIRST TEAM SQUAD – 2022/2023



Rear, from left, Graham Aspin (vice-chairman), Lauren Watts (sports therapist), Sam Towler, Mark Cornish, Miles Quick, Tom Stone, Rob Hall, Charlie Hawkings, Stefan Phillips, Hasham Ashraf, Alex Cherry, Jake Quick, Mike Hall (chairman), Adam Croft (team sponsor), Chris Ormerod.

Front, Nathaniel Groom, Jason Quick, Sully McKenna, Glen Wright, Tim Legg (joint manager), Alex Pope (joint manager), Jack Bown-Porter, Eli Collins, Joe Wragg, Kelson Pollard.

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We are again indebted to AJ Shire Electrical & Solar Services for sponsoring our First Team this season and Adam Croft (partner) is pictured with captain Glen Wright along with joint managers Tim Legg and Alex Pope.



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MAN OF THE MATCH



Defender Jason Quick was our man of the match against Sherborne Town and he received the award from match sponsor Mike Bull, our long serving committee member and gateman

MATCH REPORT WELLINGTON 0 2 SHERBORNE TOWN

Wellington conceded the double to Sherborne Town with a disappointing defeat at the Playing Field on Saturday.

Sherborne - who earned promotion from division one last season - had won 3-0 when the sides met in Dorset back in August. And they got off to a flying start by taking the lead after only five minutes when a free kick into the box was headed home by Alex Murphy.

With strikers Jake Quick unavailable and Nathaniel Groom joining Clevedon Town, Wellington opted to play defender Mark Cornish in an unaccustomed role up front.

They picked themselves up from the early setback by dominating the rest of the first half without being able to equalise.

Their biggest threat was defender Tom Stone who went close with three headers, one of which was cleared off the line with Cornish firing over from the rebound.

Wellington made a double change at the break, replacing Cornish and Jamie Nicholson with Miles Quick and Kelson Pollard.

They also used their three other subs in the second half but were still unable to break down their well-organised opponents who then produced a sucker punch with 15 minutes remaining.

Another free kick was met by the head of Murphy and although this time keeper Harley Wilkinson saved well, Henry Napier was on hand to thump home the rebound.

Wellington: Harley Wilkinson, Stefan Phillips, Tom Stone, Jason Quick, Jack Bown-Porter, Jamie Nicholson, Sam Towler, Glen Wright, Eli Collins, Mark Cornish, Joe Wragg. Substitutes: Kelson Pollard, Alex Cherry, Miles Quick, Heon Jin, Harvey Dorothy (all used).

ACTION SHOTS FROM MATCH v SHERBORNE TOWN

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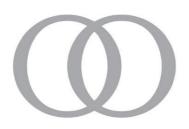
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TONIGHT'S VISITORS BISHOPS LYDEARD

We extend a warm welcome to the players, officials and supporters of near neighbours, Bishops Lydeard for this evening's Les Phillips Cup Match with a visit to Bridgwater United waiting for the winning team in the next round.

Bishops Lydeard Association Football Club is an FA Charter Standard Community Club that has a well-established youth section, senior section and girls/women's section with over 350 participants. The football club playing fields and clubhouse are located in the rural village of Bishops Lydeard, five miles north-west of Taunton, Somerset.

The club is over 100 years old and has developed into one of the largest clubs in the South West. Having played at various venues in the village it is now firmly entrenched at Darby Way. Due to the growth of the club, youth, ladies, and extra men's sides, we had to expand our facilities in 1999 and now play on Morris Meadow, kindly rented to us by Mr. Morris. This is the field beside the main pitch. We also use the adjoining field, Glanfield Meadow – named after Mr. Glanfield who kindly sold us the land when he stepped away from farming.

In 1998 the adult and youth section joined forces to become one club. This held many advantages which you will see today when visiting the club. What was once a men's side, and the odd youth team run by an adult for the village kids has developed into football for the community at all ages and genders.

The senior side of the club has a very successful Ladies section which has been led by Julie Bowker since it was formed in 2001. We now have two ladies teams; the Firsts playing in the South West Women's Football League and the Reserves in Somerset County Women's League.

The adult men's teams are headed by the First team who gained promotion in 2016 to the Western League following a Winner takes all game against Nailsea and Tickenham to finish Champions of the Somerset Senior Premier League; there is also a Reserve Team which has just been promoted to the Somerset County League after winning the Taunton & District Saturday

League First Division and a Colts team that play in Division 2 of the Taunton & District Saturday League.

In 2008 the clubs dream of developing an all-purpose club house to replace its 'Shack' was made in to reality when Iain Hunter formally announced that he had achieved the funding required to start the build after 5 years of meetings, fund raising and form filling. In January 2009 the whole club celebrated along with Iain when the then England under 21 coach Stuart Pearce arrived at the club to formally cut the ribbon.

The philosophy of the club is to provide a safe and fun environment for the youth to train, practice, express themselves and play football. The same principle is applied to the adult section with one overriding difference – push players to play at the highest level they can achieve. This undoubtedly means that BLAFC will ultimately lose players to a higher standard of football until we can match the level, something that is a constant topic of conversation on a Saturday afternoons for the faithful.

In 2016 planning permission was granted for the erection of floodlights which were promptly installed to enable the First Team to step into Western League Football. Those that visit the club frequently will notice a lot of development work has taken place to achieve the stringent ground grading. The pitch has been widened, new dug-outs purchased and a path has been made around the perimeter of the pitch. The stand was erected as part of the requirement for Western League Football, which further enhances the ground and the clubs determination to progress.

In its first season in Western League Division One, the team worked hard to achieve a creditable 6th place finish, in the 2017/18 season the team finished 14th. In 2018/19 a 12th place position was secured after a down and up season! After two seasons where the Pandemic hit the World...... Once back and completing a full season, 2021/22 proved difficult for the first team who never really gained any momentum finishing the season in 20th position out of 21.

They hope to progress in 2022/23.



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TOOLSTATION WESTERN LEAGUE – LES PHILLIPS CUP WEDNESDAY 19TH OCTOBER 2022



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TOOLSTATION WESTERN LEAGUE HISTORY OF THE LES PHILLIPS CUP

Our league cup is named after a former Chairman of the league, Les Phillips. He is noted for bringing sponsorship to the league.

In 1973, Les was elected Chairman. Many have said that this was a 'milestone' in the league's history. With a broad smile and a booming voice, Les assured everyone that he would do everything in his power to help the league make further progress. And progress it did. A sponsorship deal with Rothmans followed worth £10,000 per season. And so the 1974/75 season kicked off as The Rothmans Western Football League.

Do you remember the Great Mills Western League? That was Les Phillips too. The deal was announced at Ashton Court on Tuesday 27th April 1982 by Peter Bastin of Great Mills and Lawrie McMenemy. The sponsorship deal was worth £100,000 over five years and introduced a 'pounds-for-goals' bonus system. In 1988, Les Phillips passed away. This was a great shock. The man who had given so much to the league was gone. It was therefore decided to re-name the Challenge Cup after Les and the first winners in the 1988/89 season were Exmouth Town.

Having a cup named after you may not be much reward for a man who had given so much to Western League Football, but his name will always be remembered and live on in the Les Phillips Cup.

The trophy itself started life in the 1954/55 season as The Western Football League Professional Challenge Cup. This new cup which cost £45-9s-0d was only open to professional clubs. In those days there was a distinction between professional and amateur clubs in the league. Poole were the first team to win the cup having beaten Frome. In 1961/62 The Professional Challenge Cup was renamed 'The Challenge Cup' and the first winners were Bristol City Reserves.

For the 2012/13 season the cup was sponsored for the first time by Termination Technology of St. George, Bristol. This enabled payments to be made to the winners in each round of the cup.



TOOLSTATION WESTERN LEAGUE LES PHILLIPS CUP

To avoid too much travelling and allow for games to be played mid-week, teams have been drawn in the following four regional groups for this seasons Les Phillips Cup. First Round games are played this week with all other teams having a bye into the Second Round. Rounds will then be played on a knock-out basis within the Groups with each producing one Semi-Finalist.

Group 1

Barnstaple Town, Buckland Athletic, Falmouth Town, Helston Athletic, Millbrook, Mousehole, Saltash United and Torpoint.

Group 2

Bridgwater United, Bishops Lydeard, Bishop Sutton, Cheddar, Clevedon, Hengrove, Ilfracombe, Nailsea & Tickenham, Odd Down, Portishead, Radstock and Wellington

Group 3

FC Bristol, Gillingham, Hallen, Shepton Mallet, Sherborne, Street, Warminster, Wells, Welton Rovers and Wincanton.

Group 4

AEK Boco, Almondsbury, Ashton & Backwell, Bitton, Brislington, Bristol Telephones, Cadbury Heath, Keynsham, LGS, Oldland Abbotonians, Shirehampton and Tytherington Rocks.

Tuesday 18th October

Bitton	VS	Longwell Green Sports
Brislington	VS	AEK Boco
Cheddar	VS	Radstock Town
Nailsea & Tickenham	VS	Clevedon Town
Odd Down	VS	Hengrove Athletic
Wincanton Town	VS	Hallen

Wednesday 19th October

Cadbury Heath	VS	Oldland Abbotonians
Shirehampton	VS	Ashton & Backwell United
Street	VS	FC Bristol
Wellington	VS	Bishops Lydeard



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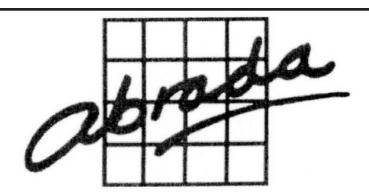
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TOOLSTATION WESTERN LEAGUE – PREMIER DIVISION RECENT RESULTS

Saturday 15th October

Ashton & Backwell United	2-2	Clevedon Town
Bitton	0-3	Falmouth Town
Helston Athletic	1-2	Saltash United
Ilfracombe Town	8-0	Welton Rovers
Keynsham Town	4-5	Barnstaple Town
Millbrook	3-1	Bridgwater United
Mousehole	1-0	Buckland Athletic
Shepton Mallet	1-1	Cadbury Heath
Street	2-1	Torpoint Athletic
Wellington	0-2	Sherborne Town



TOOLSTATION WESTERN LEAGUE FIXTURES

PREMIER DIVISION Saturday 22nd October

Bitton	VS	Ilfracombe Town
Cadbury Heath	VS	Buckland Athletic
Clevedon Town	VS	Millbrook
Shepton Mallet	VS	Bridgwater United
Welton Rovers	VS	Saltash United



FA VASE FIRST ROUND PROPER Saturday 22nd October 2022

Bishops Lydeard	VS	Roman Glass St George
Brimscombe & Thrupp	VS	Torpoint Athletic
Brixham	VS	Odd Down
Elburton Villa	VS	Ashton & Backwell United
Falmouth Town	VS	Helston Athletic
Keynsham Town	VS	Corsham Town
Lydney Town	VS	Mousehole
Oldland Abbotonians	VS	Shaftsbury Town
Street	VS	Andover New Street
Wellington	VS	Barnstaple Town



TOOLSTATION WESTERN LEAGUE PREMIER DIVISION AS AT 9TH OCTOBER 2022

	PREMIER DIVISION	Played	Won	Drawn	Lost	GD	Points
1	Bridgwater United	16	13	2	1	40	41
2	Saltash United	16	12	3	1	23	39
3	Shepton Mallet	11	8	1	2	14	25
4	Buckland Athletic	14	8	0	6	9	24
5	Barnstaple Town	11	7	2	2	15	23
6	Mousehole	12	6	5	1	13	23
7	Millbrook	13	6	1	6	-2	19
8	Sherborne Town	14	5	2	7	3	17
9	Ashton & Backwell United	12	5	2	5	0	17
10	Clevedon Town	12	5	2	5	-5	17
11	Street	13	5	2	6	-10	17
12	Falmouth Town	13	4	4	5	3	16
13	Helston Athletic	11	4	4	3	-3	16
14	Welton Rovers	16	4	3	9	-18	15
15	Ilfracombe Town	11	3	5	3	5	14
16	Wellington	12	3	2	7	-8	11
17	Cadbury Heath	13	2	4	7	-11	10
18	Torpoint Athletic	12	2	3	7	-13	9
19	Keynsham Town	15	2	2	11	-28	8
20	Bitton	13	1	1	11	-27	4



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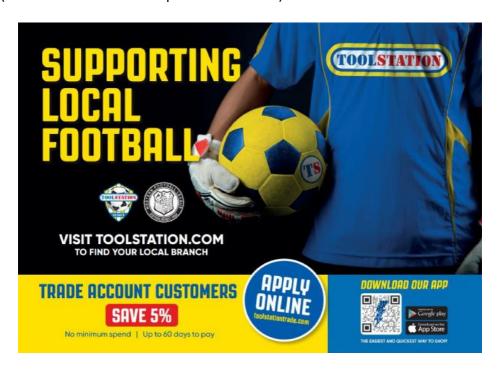
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TOOLSTATION LEAGUE PREMIER DIVISION 2022-2023 SEASON FIXTURES & RESULTS

DATE	H/A	СОМР	OPPOSITION	F	Α
31/07/22	Α	Prem	Falmouth Town	2	2
06/08/22	Α	FA Cup	Willand Rovers	1	2
09/08/22	Α	Prem	Welton Rovers	4	1
13/08/22	Α	Prem	Helston Athletic	2	3
16/08/22	Α	Prem	Barnstaple	1	3
20/08/22	Α	Prem	Sherborne Town	0	3
27/08/22	Α	Prem	Clevedon Town	3	4
29/08/22	Α	Prem	Keynsham	0	4
03/09/22	Α	Prem	Bridgwater United	0	0
17/09/22	Н	Prem	Welton Rovers	4	2
01/10/22	Н	Prem	Clevedon Town	1	2
04/10/22	Α	SPC	Frome Town	2	3
08/10/22	Α	Prem	Bitton	2	1
15/10/22	Н	Prem	Sherborne Town	0	2
19/10/22	Н	LPC	Bishops Lydeard	7.	45pm
22/10/22	Н	FAV	Barnstaple Town		
29/10/22	Н	Prem	Bridgwater United		
01/11/22	Α	Prem	Shepton Mallet		
05/11/22	Н	Prem	Keynsham	2.	00pm
12/11/22		FAV	2 nd Round Proper		
15/11/22	Α	LPC	2 nd Round	7.	45pm
19/11/22	Н	Prem	Saltash	2.	00pm
26/11/22	Α	Prem	Torpoint		
03/12/22	Н	Prem	Street		
10/12/22	Н	Prem	Ilfracombe Town	2.	00pm
17/12/22	Н	Prem	Mousehole		
26/12/22	Α	Prem	Buckland Athletic	1.0	00pm
02/01/23	Н	Prem	Millbrook		
07/01/23	Α	Prem	Ashton & Backwell Utd		
14/01/23	Н	Prem	Falmouth Town		

DATE	H/A	COMP	OPPOSITION	F	Α
21/01/23	Α	Prem	Cadbury Heath		
28/01/23	Н	Prem	Bitton	2.00pi	m
04/02/23	Н	Prem	Shepton Mallet		
11/02/23	Α	Prem	Street	2.00pi	m
25/02/23	Н	Prem	Barnstaple	2.00pi	m
04/03/23	Н	Prem	Torpoint		
18/03/23	Α	Prem	Saltash		
25/03/23	Α	Prem	Cadbury Heath		
01/04/23	Н	Prem	Helston Athletic		
07/04/23	Н	Prem	Buckland Athletic	1.00pi	m
10/04/23	Α	Prem	Millbrook		
15/04/23	Н	Prem	Ashton & Backwell		
22/04/23	Α	Prem	Mousehole		

(Note - kick-off time 3.00pm unless shown)





EXTRACT FROM TOOLSTATION BULLETIN 15th OCTOBER 2022



Midweek Action: Bitton finally broke their duck on Tuesday evening, winning their first Premier Division match of the season by beating Welton Rovers 2-1 at West Clewes. Having only claimed one point from their opening 11 fixtures, debutant Conner McKay made the difference for the away side, scoring two excellent goals just after the hour mark. The former Warminsterman made an instant impact for his new side, and those goals proved crucial, with Joe Garland halving the deficit late on for Welton. The other game in that division saw Saltash defeat fellow Cornish side Torpoint by three goals to nil at the Waterways Stadium. Goals in either half from Callum Merrin helped the high-flyers gain victory, with an exquisite dipping effort from Levi Landricombe having made it 2-0 early in the second period.

Premier Division: The final unbeaten record has now been brought to an end after Bridgwater suffered a 3-1 defeat at the hands of Millbrook. The league leaders were under the pump from the word go, and found themselves in a two-goal deficit inside the opening 20 minutes following a pair of goals from Josh Johnson and Josh Toulson. United got themselves back into the contest just prior to half time through leading scorer Jake Brown, but Millbrook completed their memorable win in the closing stages, with Sean Thomson making it 3-1 four minutes into stoppage time. Ilfracombe Town produced a remarkable performance at home to Welton, hitting the Green Army for eight to secure just their third league win of the campaign. Town struck four times in either half on a perfect afternoon for the home side with Jack Langford and Harry Stevens putting them two-up in the opening stages. Charlie Prentice then scored the goal of the game, piledriving the ball into the top corner for 3-0, before Stevens struck again to close out the first half scoring. Any hope that Welton had of an unlikely second half comeback were ended instantly following Sam Wright's quickfire double, with Jed Harper-Penman's penalty and a Liam Short strike completing the rout. Ilfracombe may have scored eight unanswered, but the highest scoring contest of the afternoon took place at **Keynsham**, where they hosts saw a 3-1 half time lead eventually end up in a

5-4 defeat against **Barnstaple**. The K's have had a rough start to the season, but things looked to be turning in their favour thanks to a first half double from debutant Brendon Oputeri, sandwiching a lovely team goal finished off by Henry Njonjo. Barnstaple managed to stay in the game however, and after striking early in the second half, they got themselves level in the 66th minute courtesy of Stu Bowker. Dylan Lewis restored Keynsham's slim advantage in a good show of fortitude, but they then let their lead slip again with Bowker scoring Barnstaple's fourth in the closing stages. That wasn't the end of the drama however, and with both sides pushing for victory, it was the visitors who made their pressure count with Callum Laird helping them pull off the incredible triumph. Late drama also decided the fixture between Helston and Saltash, with the Cornish derby going in favour of the away side following an injury time winner. It was Helston who broke the deadlock early in the second half through Rubin Wilson, with Saltash drawing level 15 minutes later thanks to Alex Cairo. Then, with the destination of the points still up for grabs, the Ashes quietened the home crowd following Dave Barker's 90th minute winner, meaning they now sit just two points off top spot. Falmouth Town also won on their travels, with Luke Barner, Jack Webber and Olly Walker each finding the back of the net in their 3-0 victory at Bitton, while goals from Alex Murphy and Henry Lawrence-Napier either side of the interval saw **Sherborne** defeat Wellington 2-0 to move into the top half. Street ended a three-match losing run by beating **Torpoint Athletic** 3-1 at the Tannery Ground. The away side's only goal of the afternoon came towards the end of the first half, cancelling out Harry Foster's 13th minute opener, but it was the Cobblers who had the last word with Kyle Strange scoring the match-winner three minutes after the interval. Mousehole were also victors by a single goal, with Mark Goldsworthy's 17th minute effort helping them edge past **Buckland** at Trungle Parc, while Harry Goldspink's strike early in the second half helped Cadbury Heath secure an impressive 1-1 draw away at Shepton Mallet. The points were also shared at the Lancer Scott Stadium, where Ashton & Backwell came from two-down to draw 2-2 with Clevedon. The Seasiders enjoyed the best of the early stages, with an own goal making it 2-0 after 24 minutes, following on from an early headed effort from Archie Ferris. The home side gained a lifeline in stoppage time at the end of the first half thanks to Shea Mannings, with Joe Cattermole's 65th minute free-kick helping them secure a share of the spoils.



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AROUND THE CLUB

All of the Club's senior teams were in action over the weekend.

On Saturday the **Reserves** visited Chard Town in the Devon & Exeter League First Division and drew 1-1. They fell behind after 17 minutes before dominating the second half and equalising with a clinical finish by Jordan Sellick. On Saturday they visit Bow Amateur Athletic.

Well done to our **A Team** who marked their first home game of the season with their first win. They thumped North Curry 7-1 at the Rec with goals from Dominic Healey (two), Tom Scarlett, Reegan Scotcher, Connor Porter, Matt Turner and Matt Brereton. On Saturday they are home to Stogursey 1st.

On Sunday the **Ladies** travelled to Woodspring in the Division One of the Somerset County Women's League and came back from 2-0 down to draw 2-2. The goals came from Julie Netherway and Jess Regan.

In Division Two (South) the **Wildcats** entertained Bridport Youth at the Playing Field and won 2-1 with goals from Charlotte and Emily Ayres.

There are no fixtures in the Ladies League next weekend. Next game for the Ladies is at home to Bishop Lydeard Ladies Reserves on Sunday 30th October while the Wildcats travel to Wincanton Town Ladies.

In the Western Counties Floodlight Youth League South Division the **Under 18s** were away to Bishops Lydeard last night.

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