OLD WILSONIANS FOOTBALL CLUB ‘All the news that’s fit to print’

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TRAINING WEDNESDAY POWERLEAGUE NXT TO SCHOOL 8PM – 9PM



The 1s had a spare Saturday for early Christmas shopping but have two big Cup games this week.

On Thursday 18th November they travel to Redhill in the Surrey Premier Cup.

Support the team this week in the Surrey Premier Cup vs Redhill U 23S (The Lobsters) under floodlights 745pm KO

http://www.redhillfc.co.uk/

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Three Arch Road, Redhill, Surrey, RH1 5AE.





On Saturday its Old Owens Away in the AFA Cup, Owens have a strong Cup pedigree but so do we!
We will be hoping for a result.

The 3s narrowly lost to West Wickham on Sat and travel to Nottsborough for another tough fixture.

The 4s and 5s back to winning ways, 6s and 8s lost heavily but there’s always this week.

The 7s just went down to the odd goal in 5 against Winchmore Hill in the AFA Cup and can count themselves unlucky not to be in the next round.

All Our Yesterday’s…. 50 years ago it was all about the Xmas Draw whilst 25 years ago the 1s Won 8 – 0, Cooman hat trick, Holmes double, Pope, Doug Forbes and Trouty all scored.

Remember to pay Annual Subs this week as no payee no playee.

Non Sibi Sed Omnibus

DUE NOW Annual Subs 2021 / 22 DUE NOW

Under 18s and Full time Students - Free

18 – 24 yrs - £65
25 – 29 yrs - £75
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Vets / Super Vets - £50 if Sunday only, otherwise see above.
Vets players playing less than four games a season – see weekly subs

Note all ages as of 1st September 2021
Questions or difficulty please contact Stu Dunk in confidence on 07743 135493

Weekly Subs reminder

£20 Occasional Vets / Super Vets (less than 4 games a season)
£10 Full time employed
£5 Student (or less than 46 minutes)
£2 Schoolboys
No weekly subs to be used for drinks whip please.

Men of the Hill

https://www.facebook.com/groups/200448241218240

A number of Old Boys and Club members have set up a Facebook group during these difficult times, please click on the link or cut n paste above.

Its good to talk. Its ok not to be ok.

Talking about how we feel is something we all find hard to do whether you are a Man or a Woman.

Last Sunday we discussed ways of expressing how we feel, as well as how anxiety can affect us.

We spoke about the positive effects our Sports Club has had on us and what our plans are to Remove the Mental from Mental Health.

About

This group has been set up to help anyone connected to the Wilsonians Sports club, whether they be friends of friends or family members.

We are here to keep each other company.

We will share events across different platforms such as WhatsApp and help people get through the 12 or so weeks we have to face under Covid-19.

Private

Only members can see who's in the group and what they post.

Visibility

Anyone can find this group.



Fixtures 20th November 2021

AFA CUP Away	1s v Owens
Results	Scorers

SAL LGE Away	3rd XI v Nottsborough 4s
Results	Scorers

SAL LGE HOME	4th X1 v South Bank 4s
Results	Scorers

OB Cup HOME	5th XI vs Old Kings Scholars
Results	Scorers

OB Cup HOME	6th XI vs Old Sutts 6s
Results	Scorers

SAL LGE AWAY	7th X vs Poly 8's
Results	Scorers

SAL LGE HOME	8th X1 v Poly 9s
Results	Scorers

Super Vets	V Cudham Supers 10am HAYES Sunday 21 stth November
Results	Scorers



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Results – 13th Nov 2021 – Home Games at Hayes / HD

SAL	1s v
Results	Scorers
	No game

SAL	3rd XI v West Wickham 4s
Results	Scorers
0 - 1	

SAL	4th XI v Bank of England Away
Results	Scorers
6 - 1	Zak 2, Sean White, Montelle Henry, Will Gunnel, Seb D-Winifred

SAL	5th XI vs Bank of England Home
Results	Scorers
1 - 0	Bonsels

SAL	6th XI vs Carshalton Home
Results	Scorers
0 - 8	

AFA Cup	7th XI v Winchmore Hill Home
Results	Scorers
2 - 3	Kennedy 2

AFA Cup	8th X1 v Civil Service 9s Home
Results	Scorers
0 - 10	

Vets	Old Suttonians
Results	Scorers
	Failed to raise OWFC Side



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OWFC 2022 proudly announces

<u>The Maltese Falcon Tour</u>

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Twenty Three already on the plane
Don't miss out, be an OWFC Malteser geezer.



1st X1 2021 / 22

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3s vs West Wickham, Lost 0 - 1, League, Home

Captain for the day Chibu, set an early example to the group as he raced to the field, 15 minutes after the rest of the team had completed a classic Kirby warmup.

Keen to make amends, Akpakwu rallied the boys with a rousing speech that really _gee'd up_ the lads.

After Remembrance minutes silence the game got underway. Wilson's got off to a great start, knocking the ball around nicely with the Eves brothers putting some nice one two's together in the middle. 10 minutes into the game we looked well on top of a side that were sitting pretty at the top of the table. Against the run of play, WW played a nicely weighted through ball, allowing the oppo striker a 1:1 which he took round Will in goal. 0-1.

Shortly afterwards, Will did his utmost to give a penalty away as the oppo 7 ran away from goal but the ref was having none of it.

It took Wilson's some time to get back into the game but we were well in control of the game by half time with some decent passing moves not quite paying dividends.

The half time whistle blew, which also signalled the arrival and immediate substitution of DOTD Dixon who to be fair showed no signs of the previous evening hangover in pressing of the back line.

Wilson's we're again on top, controlling possession without any end product. Countless shots seemed to find the keepers sizeable corporation in a game where we could not buy a goal.

Finally, a Wilson's press forced the CB to play a wild back pass to the keeper, which he duly saved and we were awarded a corner because apparently "it's only a back pass if he catches it". Again, Wilson's continued to apply pressure to the WW defensive line forcing a shoddy back pass which sent Dixon through 1 on 1 only for the keeper to get down low to his left with the kind of speed unfathomable for a man of his posture.

We continued to strive forward to but could not beat the WW keeper who was their MotM by a long way. Overall, a good performance that deserved more than a loss.

We move forward to Notts away next week. MotM Andy Free DOTD Tom Dixon

4s 6 vs 1 Bank of England, League, Away.





- The 4s have been on the road for a month straight now and were looking to bounceback from last week's defeat.
- Trialing the Yuved Bheenicks favourite 3-5-2 we started the game on the front foot piling the pressure on Bank of England's back four.
- Didn't take long to break the deadlock with the long awaited **Sean White** (not related to Jimmy or Dillian) slotted one away to make it 1-0.
- Quickly after the goals came in like London buses with **Montelle Henry** slotting one away, quickly followed by **Zak** doing the same thing.
- Captain and goalkeeper Taylor Elsworth was consistently breaking the spirits of the opponents, with a series of fake dives, step overs, and even came up to take a penalty which he missed.
- Star man Zak then decided to finish the half with another leaving it 4-0 at half time.
- Smelling victory in sight manager chunk decided to apply more pressure onto the broken Bank of England defence and brought himself up top to finish the game.
- After 5 fail attempts on goal from him, the class **Will Gunnell** latched onto a beautiful cross from Sean White to make it 5-0.
- Sean then launched 2 very long throws into the 6 yard box and the whole pitch thought this was time for chunk to get on the score sheet, however **Seb Davis Winifred** leaped over his left shoulder and nodded it in to make it 6-0.
- Bank of England got a lucky penalty and took away Taylors well deserved clean sheet.
- Match finished 6-1 mom Sean White.

Goalscorers Zak x 2 Sean White Montelle Henry Will Gunnel Seb David Winifred



5th X1 v Bank of England
Home League
Won 1 - 0
Gary Bonsels
Just like on Tour……Warsaw away…love it.

Old Wilsonians 6s 0 - Carshalton 3s 8 (HT: 0-2)

Another game we felt we could win. With some of the core squad out we had a relatively make shift defence... wait, we have basically heard this before.

We had a strong squad with some new faces this week and a full squad however after a strong warm up we had to wait twenty minutes to start given Sparrow sent home the referee.

An opposition sub was willing to start as ref until Jukes Senior was able to fill in at short notice.

We needed to have a fast start however all the pressure was on us. Getting the ball past two passes was difficult as they had a strong press. Whenever they lost the ball they were on us immediately. Shelton and Adams at the back played well to clear the lines however Shelton was forced off with an ankle injury disrupting us. There were some positives as we got the ball down and tried to find ways in for Gilbert, Rand, Suliman and Fairhurst. Whilst we could get into the final third we could not get into a position to score. Their keeper was quick off the mark and always first to the ball. Robbins on our side kept the score level until a corner where we didn't pick up a man. Shortly after we conceded again as one of their two strikers got goal side of our defence.

Strangely we upped the intensity in the second half but ended up conceding a further six. We were turned at the back and they had strikers weaving in and out of position and even four up top at one point. We didn't really have any clear chances though two penalities could have been given for hand ball.

Something needs to click as the 6s are in a rut. There are positives though. There is eagerness and a want to win. We need to be more composed and we have shown we can play some football. We need to keep calm at the back, be a little bit more organised and everyone needs to stand up and speak. We are often too quiet out there. A cup against Sutton next week... A must win.

Team: Robbins, Gilbert, Shelton, Adams, Pillai, Martin, Holmes, Benwell, Fairhurst, Rand, Suliman, Patel, Jukes, Barile

MoM: Holmes

DoD: Sparrow





OW 7th XI **2 Vs 3** Winchmore Hill 6's **A lot of SMART talent on show.**

Great honour to play in front of the clubhouse on the beautiful Hayes pitches.
Team arrived early. Our "Chosen One" Manager Hoff in attendance too. Full beard to out do my goatee, he's certainly ready for the kids Xmas party should they need a Santa.

Good warm up and a good looking and balanced side against the reigning cup holders.
Good start from both sides and we could see it was going to be a close and competitive match. The game went to and fro until **Chris Kennedy** was released one on one with the keeper and as usual he finished with confidence. Winchmore reacted with a positive response and their central spine showed its quality, especially their centre mid, who proceeded to run the game and they applied constant pressure. We held out for a while but a long shot skipper off the surface and made it past the keeper, who should have done better and got a hand to it.
The half played out with Harry Smart as our standout player.

The Chosen One made some excellent tactical changes moving us from 3-5-2 to the classic 4-4-2 but with attacking flair. The second half ensued and the new shape negated the domination in midfield and a much more balanced game. Some great defending from the team in the early parts but a thunderous finish left us 1-2 down and it was OWs turn to dominate with some great moves which came to fruition with another **Kennedy** piece of magic as he curled a free kick around the wall into the bottom corner... Superb strike... 2-2.

The pace of the game was fantastic and chances came and went at both ends, but the breakthrough came from a deflected shot that was pounced on by their centre forward to give them a 3-2 lead. Chris Kennedy had a goal disallowed that perhaps wasn't, Winchmore had a few shots without joy and the game ended with that scoreline.
Great games throughout the team against a very strong side and lessons learned from a new side that will do well this season with a strong batch of younger players.

MoM was a close run thing between Andrew Hoffman, Harry Smart and Chris Kennedy, with Chris sneaking out with an outstanding performance. Great game. Great team spirit. The Chosen One earned his title today with good substitutions and tactics

MOTM: Chris Kennedy
Goal Scorers: Chris Kennedy x2
SQUAD: Doug Forbes PDI, Nathan Amoah, Rory Sweeney PDI, Jack Coughlan PDI, Saj Phakey, Andrew Hoffmann, Dharmesh Vaghela, FSI Philip Platts, FSI Rob Benson, Chris Kennedy, Jonny Quinton, Doug Smart, Harry Smart, Richard Smart











8th X1 0 vs CSFC 10, Lost 0 – 10, AFA Cup.

The dizzy heights of the 1st XI pitch no less in front of a Hayes crowd up at the hill for the **Old Wilsonians 8th XI** this week in the ***AFA cup*** against a **Civil Service 9th XI** who are currently at the bottom of our league although it was soon apparent that perhaps this was not exactly the same XI.

Right from the off the opposition used the width of the pitch to move us around and find the gaps and at times it felt like the Alamo defending at the back. Trying to compete we often lost our shape and with limited communication found the continuous breaks had to give and the goals started to go in. Trying to defend the breaking of our lines and last ditch tackles just seemed to prolong the inevitable which was more goals.

At half time and 6 goals down a team talk of pride and enjoying the day in front of the clubhouse made for a better start to the 2nd half and we competed well but again it seemed only a matter of time before more goals came and with us loosing the ball far to often in all the wrong places, came they did.

We had limited chances but the guys up front battled hard and ran their legs off chasing scraps but unfortunately got no reward. The final score being 0-10 and our heads were down but cup games can be like this and strangely some teams field stronger sides for them for what ever reasons.

We need to quickly pick ourselves up for another league game next week and put this score line behind us which was not helped by me having to leave the field just before half time with a bad clash in our box defending and putting my body on the line which never helps our shape and Viktoriya Pintyak kindly caught the moment on camera so I thought it rude not to include the picture!

Squad : Ben Mole, Boom Boom, Josh Mole, Jon Small, Kit Hollis, Rodrigo Trompiz, Will Davies, Matthew Mint, Liam Magee, Neville Spencer, Blake Shepherd, Mubarak Onabiyi, Great Inaba

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6th XI 7th XI– Junior South Div 4

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ALL OUR YESTERDAY'S – 50 YEARS AGO

ACCEPT NOTHING LESS THAN THE WILL TO WIN Old Libertians 4 1st XI I 3

It is very frustrating having to travel 300 miles for an away fixture, battling through muck and bullets, Lord Mayor's Shows and car parks, but it is even more frustrating to lose a game which should have been won by half-time!

On paper the 1st XI have an extremely good side, capable of playing consistently well, as was proved in the Second Division, and should be one of the better sides in the top Division rather than one of mediocrity.

This game against Libertians was typical of the way we have been playing this season. We started well, with some fine attacking football, although never really being able to test their 'keeper. But this pressure eventually produced the desired result when **GERRY REASELEY** netted from a through ball by John Pugh.

But this set-back spurred Libertians into action and they equalised after a miss-understanding in our defence. This goal seemed to shatter our confidence, and the home side took control of the game although never managing to penetrate our rear ranks.

Playing downhill in the second half, our opponents dominated the early play and scored three goals in the first 15 minutes. Now 1-4 down, and with the possibility of being completely over-run, the 1st xI forced itself into action. Some football extraordinaire flowed from our side and what looked like becoming a one-sided affair was transformed into a most entertaining game, with the 1sts fighting hard to revive their fortunes.

We went close on several occasions and, following some tremendous pressure, scored the goal that put us back in the game. The move started in midfield and was played to the right-wing where Gerry Reaseley pushed a first-time ball to Jamie Jennings, who calmly allowed the opposing centre-half to lob the ball over the head of the advancing 'keeper.

The team was now full of fight – why can't this attitude be maintained for the full 90 minutes? – and our goal tally increased when **GERRY REASELEY** got his second of the game when he blasted home from close range.

Sustained pressure on the Libertians' goal failed to bring the much needed equaliser and so, once again, we lost to a side that failed to match our ability. If the team were to take the field with the will to win, and accept nothing less, then we will move away from the relegation zone, but if we are not prepared to give 100% effort, then we will stay where we are. Les Simner

Get selling for 'The Christmas Draw'

We need ***every*** member of the Football Club to sell ***at least a dozen*** books each in our Christmas Draw simply to maintain last year's income.

We will not be holding a Jumble Sale this year, so an extra effort is needed to make up for the lost revenue. And if ***every*** member sold ***fifteen*** books, a handsome profit would be made, so the message is very simple;

GET SELLING!

Classified Results, November 13th 1971				
Old Libertians	4	1st Xl	3	Reaseley 2, OG
3rd Xl	3	Brent	0	Carpenter, Carrington, Gadhilie
4th Xl	2	Old Parkonians	4	Brittain, Fletcher
Old Stationers	5	5th Xl	1	Brown
6th Xl	2	Brittanic House	2	Turner, Howell.P
Palace	1	Ipswich Town	1	Wallace

ALL OUR YESTERDAYS - 25 YEARS AGO

OH NO; NOT THE MILL HILL SLOPE 5th XI 5 Mill Hill Village 1

When first told the news that we were playing Mill Hill Village in the AFA Cup, Terry Adams and I looked at each other aghast. “Oh No; Not the Mill Hill slope.”, we pleaded.
Fortunately we were playing them at home and breathed again, and were probably the only two players in the side who knew what playing at Mill Hill truly meant.

For a change we started the game quite well and, after 25 minutes, when the Mill Hill goal-keeper fumbled a ball from Duncan Lewis, **SI’ LETTS** was on hand to run the ball home to give us a 1-0 lead, and the score remained the same at half-time.
Greg Smith came on for Duncan Lewis in the second half and played up-front, whilst Si’ Letts went to right-back just in case he scored again!

After a little pressure from Mill Hill we scored our second when, from a cross by Greg Smith, **TONY BARNES** headed home. We were now on a roll – we were winning – and another cross from Greg was met, this time by **JON QUINTON,** who noded in for our third before our fourth was scored by **GREG SMITH** himself who, put through by Guy Clayton, chipped the goal-keeper.

JON QUINTON deservedly got our fifth but, unfortunately, and towards the end of the game, a mis-handled ball by our ‘keeper led to Mill Hill getting a consolation goal.

A good team performance from the 5ths, but special mentions must go to Jon Quinton and Tony Barnes.
Lou Barry
Britton Lewis (Greg Smith) Valder Adams.T Hudson(Harold) Barnes Barry Banks Clayton Letts Quinton

BOTH SIDES GET WHAT THEY DESERVED Old Adeyans 1 7th XI 1

After last week’s triumph, confidence was high as we took to the field on the delightful Charlton Park and we took the lead within five minutes when **RISHI PATANI** latched on to a poor back pass and beat the ‘keeper at the far post.

For the next 25 minutes we held the upper hand but failed to capitalise on our superiority and gradually allowed our opponents to get back into the game and their ewqualiser came from a corner and was the only real effort they had on goal in the first half.

The second half saw us tighten up in midfield and this provided us with a better base from which to take the game to Adeyans. Defensively we were very secure and never looked like conceding another goal but, and as the match went on, our goal-scoring opportunities dimisnished and a draw was praobaly a fair result. Neville Spencer

Peckover Lutchman Barty Lloyd Shah James Attrell Taylor.P Narayan Patani (Spencer.L) Pugh.D

4th XI: Pilgrim.I Robinson Stanley Lumsden Sims Hughes(Stewart) Saraga Burton Skelton (Forbes.S) Karamath Dutton

Classified Results , November 16th 1996				
1st Xl	8	Old Westhamians	0	Coomansingh 3, Forbes.D, Holmes 2, Trout, Pope
2nd Xl	4	Glynn Old Boys	2	Perry, Corrgall.S 2, Mole
Old Adeyans	4	4th Xl	1	Saraga
5th Xl	5	Mill Hill Village	1	Barnes, Letts, (Greg) Smith, Quinton 2
6th Xl	1	Old Actonians	2	Wilson
Old Adeyans	1	7th Xl	1	Patani
Old Paulines	5	8th Xl	0	
Bolton	2	Palace	2	Hopkin, Freedman

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