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This week's games, April 30th, plus one for May 7th

Team	Opponents	Ground	Contest	K.O.
1st XI	Old Garchonians	Hawes Down	League	3-00
2nd XI	No further games this season			
3rd XI	No further games this season			
4th XI	No further games this season			
5th XI	Old Wokingians	Hawes Down	Spring Cup	3-00
6th XI	No further games this season			
7th XI	Old Sedcopians	Away	Spring Cup	2-00
8th XI	Old Blues 4th XI (May 7th)	Away	League	3-00
9th XI	No further games this season			
10th XI				
Vets				
Super Vets				

ALWAYS PACK A WHITE SHIRT WITH YOUR KIT

Classified Results, April 17th, 23rd/24th

Home	Score			Away	Scorers
2nd XI	2	V	3	Old Garchonians (League)	Bratterman, Taylor
3rd XI	0	V	0	Old Owens (League)	
Old Owens	2	V	2	3rd XI (League)	Scorers not reported
5th XI	2	V	2	Dorkinians 5th XI (Spring Cup)	Small, Billing.C
Old Sedcopians 5th XI	P	V	P	7th XI (League)	
8th XI	1	V	2	Civil Service 9th XI (League)	Gunnell.W
Alleyn Old Boys 7th XI	4	V	0	9th XI (League)	
Palace	2	V	1	Watford (FA Cup semi-final)	Bolasie, Wickham
Old Wilsonias Vets	4	V	1	Cudham (P. April 17th)	Karamath .J. 3, Donnelly

The SAL website is www.southernamateurleague.co.uk

Newsletter Contributions

All contributions to the newsletter should **reach me by 6-00 pm on a Sunday evening** – the earlier the better, preferably as a word attachment, and sent to owmikepike@yahoo.co.uk**, but please 'phone to confirm that you have done so (0208 659 6443**) - you also get an extra point on the reports table if you do so. Alternatively you can 'phone through your report and dictate it to me



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This week's men of the match

2nd XI: Mark Simmons 3rd XI Not reported : 5th XI: Not reported 8th XI: Not reported
9th XI: Not reported

Leading goal-scorers

25 - Williams.M 21 - Karamath 19 – Watson 17 - Adams.W 12 – Howe, Sellman 11- , Eglon.J, Simmons, Steadford 9 – Gunnel.W Newman-Sanders.B, Quinton 8 – Dyki,7 – Billing.C, Childs, Cowell,J Page, Stride, Wicks

This is the last newsletter of the season and sincere thanks to everyone who has made the effort and taken the time to contribute
Fixtures: Fixtures are correct at time of publication but are subject to change and alteration

Football training takes place EVERY WEDNESDAY night at Wallington Powerleague, 7-00

Classified Results, April 25th 1991				
Palace	1	Sheffield Wednesday	1	Bright

The 1990/91 Season - an overview from the Secretary

Sitting by a pool in Cyprus the day after Manchester United's stunning victory against Barcelona, the season seems even better. (Sitting in the exotic surroundings of my front room on the eve of their summer tour and realising that there are three Palace players in the national side, not to mention Paul Bodin's – their reserve left back – superb through ball last night that enabled Wales to beat the world champions, I am almost prepared to forget that it should have been The Eagles in the European Cup Winners Cup and not United – ed)

On the whole the results were pleasing this year. Both the 2nd and 3rd XIs won their respective championships and congratulations are due to Kelvin Wing and Clarke Quarrington for their efforts. The 5th XI were runners-up and the 1st XI third. The 6th XI finished fifth and did extremely well to get through to the Old Boys Junior Cup Final, whilst the 4th and 7th XIs both came seventh in their divisions.

It was very encouraging to see so many schoolboys playing – a total of 25 at one stage or another, and It is important to build on this and Alex Forbes will be using his contacts to good effect next season.

The Dinner was a great success and full credit to Mick Pilgrim and Dave Stewart for their organisation, with the following being the award winners:

Player(s) of the year: 1st XI: Colin Lake 2nd XI: Dave Wood 3rd XI: Simon Giles 4th XI: Geoff Robinson 5th XI: Robin Pegg 6th XI: Simon Corrigall 7th XI: Peter Horner
Most improved player: Alex Forbes
J, Arthur Trophy: George Wing
George Croucher Trophy: Mike Harris

Many congratulations to all concerned, especially Mike Harris, who thoroughly deserved his 'Clubman of the Year' award.

Many thanks to everyone who has helped this year, notably Kelvin Wing, Ian Pilgrim and Andy Udale. Andy McClinton

Annual General Meeting

Good to see such a good turn-out at this year's AGM but, for those who missed it, here are the key decisions:
Annual subscriptions: £35 for full members, £15 students, unemployed and first year out of school and payable by the end of November, after which they increase to £50
Weekly match fees: £3.50p full member, £2.50p students and unemployed, £1 schoolboys

The resolution to change the constitution was passed unanimously and the new Management Committee elected to implement the constitution was as follows:

Chairman: Mick Pilgrim Chairman of Ways & Means: Ian Pilgrim Secretary: Andy McClinton
Chairman of Selection: Cliff Milledge Traesurer: Ian Haines President: Mike Harris
OWA/School representative: Alex Forbes Club captain: Mike Kendrick
Elected reps: Doug Weaver and George Wing

Skippers for the 1991/92 season:
1st XI: Graham Hughes 2nd XI: Kevin Law 3rd XI: Clarke Quarrington 4th XI: Andy Kirchin
5th XI: Paul Johnson 6th XI: Leigh Drawbridge 7th XI: Volunteer required

League Tables - Correct to April 23rd

Senior Division One - Top 3 of 11	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	Pts
Polytechnic	19	13	4	2	52	23	43
OLD WILSONIANS	**19**	**9**	**6**	**4**	**38**	**28**	**33**
Alleyn Old Boys	16	9	5	2	42	16	32
Intermediate Division One – Top 3 of 11							
Nottsborough Reserves	19	14	3	2	56	16	45
OLD WILSONIANS RESERVES	**20**	**9**	**5**	**6**	**43**	**35**	**32**
Old Parkonians Reserves	20	9	2	9	42	46	29
Junior Division Two - Bottom 3 of 8							
Carshalton 3rd XI	20	4	4	12	41	66	16
OLD WILSONIANS 3RD XI	**20**	**3**	**7**	**10**	**36**	**61**	**16**
HSBC 3rd XI	19	3	2	14	35	78	11
Minor Division One South – Top 3 of 10							
Polytechnic 5th XI	17	14	2	1	70	19	44
Alleyn Old Boys 4th XI	16	12	2	2	62	21	38
OLD WILSONIANS 4TH XI	**18**	**10**	**2**	**6**	**54**	**33**	**32**
Minor Division Two South - Bottom 3 of 9							
OLD WILSONIANS 5th XI	**16**	**6**	**0**	**10**	**29**	**42**	**18**
Old Salesians Reserves	15	3	2	10	22	45	11
Poytechnic 6th XI	16	2	2	12	29	56	8
Minor Division Three South - bottom 3 of 8							
Carshalton 5th XI	20	9	4	7	77	56	28*
OLD WILSONIANS 6th XI	**21**	**2**	**3**	**16**	**25**	**68**	**9**
Merton 5th XI	21	2	1	18	23	113	7
*Adjustment made							
Minor Division Four South – Top 4 of 9							
Alleyn Old Boys 6th XI	16	12	1	3	55	19	37
Civil Service 7th XI	16	11	2	3	54	20	35
West Wickham 6th XI	14	9	2	3	33	18	29
OLD WILSONIANS 7th XI	**16**	**9**	**2**	**5**	**42**	**28**	**29**
Minor Division 5 South							
Ibis Eagles 6th XI	20	14	3	3	56	23	45
HSBC 7th XI	20	14	0	6	49	29	42
Polytechnic 9th XI	18	12	3	3	55	18	39
Old Salesians 3rd XI	18	10	3	5	43	20	33
OLD WILSONIANS 8th XI	**19**	**10**	**3**	**6**	**57**	**38**	**33**
Alleyns Old Boys 7th XI	19	6	5	8	32	31	23
Civil Service 9th XI	19	6	2	11	21	51	20
Merton 6th XI	18	5	3	10	33	46	18
Old Blues 4th XI	18	4	4	10	28	48	16
Bank of England 5th XI	19	4	3	12	35	65	15
OLD WILSONIANS 9th XI	**20**	**4**	**1**	**15**	**28**	**68**	**13**

Please help James, Nicola and Lily

Those of you with an astute and observant nature will have noticed James 'Eggy' Eglon's thanks to those who helped the 8th XI raise £350 for The Down's Syndrome Association and The Brompton Fountain via the raffle on April 9th.

In his always succinct, precise and informative introduction to the newsletter, the indefatigable 'Eggy' reported that he, togger master Ed Adams and "Big" Jim Prowting " are competing in the London Triathlon in August to raise funds for these charities to support James and Nicola Sparrow's baby daughter Lily (you can keep up to date on her condition via Facebook by searching #lovelily). If you would like to help us in supporting these charities, which do so much work to help so many people less fortunate than us, then please follow the link at the bottom of this page."

I'm sure many of you will support this most worthy cause, whilst those of you of a higher intellect than I will be able to "follow the link at the bottom of this page." - think www.virginmoneygiving.com/team/lovelily is the starting point!

Summer Holiday Referees Training Course

We have set up a basic referees training course to run during the summer holidays. The course takes place in August and is being run during the daytime at a modern and well equipped school in North London. It has been designed to be particularly suitable for teachers and students although anyone else will be most welcome to join too. The course includes classroom theory sessions plus practical / demonstration sessions outside which will all take place at the same venue.
The course timetable is as follows:

Date	Venue	Time	Session
Friday 19th August	Highlands School	10:00 – 16:30	Unit 2 Practical Training
Tuesday 23rd August	Highlands School	13:00 – 16:00	Unit 3 Fouls and Misconduct
Friday 26th August	Highlands School	10:00 – 16:30	Unit 4 Practical Training and Evaluation

Full details of the course are available on our website. To go to the page listing the course please click ***Here***. Further information about referees training is available ***Here.***

I should be very grateful if you would circulate this email to your club members and anyone else you know who may be interested in doing the referees training course. If they have any questions please ask them to contact me.
Thanks a lot and regards, John Monk. Football Administrator, Amateur Football Alliance
NB: For other forth-coming course please see newsletter 1,585

ALL OUR TODAYS

GARCHONIANS WANTED IT MORE AND IT SHOWED 2nd XI 2 Old Garchonians 3

The 2's season finished tamely when they were deservedly beaten by Garchonians. It was clear which team needed the points more and Garchonians got the 3 which gives them a good chance of survival.

Ashworth kept us in it in the first half with a number of good saves, keeping their very handy front 3 at bay. At the other end we had good chances too - the 'keeper pulled off a great save from Simmons and Bratterman also missed when 1 on 1.

The second half was similar - we had chances but Garchonians had more. We took the lead

when excellent work from Howe on the right lead to **BRATTERMAN** heading home at the far post but, soon after, he turned from hero to villain, hauling down there useful winger and the penalty was duly dispatched.

Soon after another long straight ball caught us out and it was 2-1 and, near the end, their substitute made it 3-1 before **TAYLOR** headed home from a corner with the last touch of the game to give the score- line a more even look than was deserved.

They needed the points and we did not, and this was evident throughout the game. We always struggle against this lot, and we are surprised to see them down the bottom.

'Mom' went to Simmons. Congratulations to Michael Mitchell, who won 'Player of the year', and captain Ashworth, who deservedly won the Clarke Quarrington award for turning the 2's round over the last couple of years with incredible commitment. Jamie Parkinson

Neil Ashworth, Richard Shaw, Jamie Parkinson, Doug Smart, James Taylor, Mark Simmons, Stu Dunk, Jon Howe, Alex Bratterman, Gary Bonsels, Matt Clare, Ant Childs

WE HAVE TO TAKE OUR CHANCES Alleyns Old Boys 7th XI 4 9th XI 0

Last game of the season for the nines, and a slim chance of not finishing bottom of the table was up for grabs if we could just get a win at Alleyns and, having narrowly lost to the same opposition earlier in the season, we fancied our chances.

However, we soon went behind, seemingly unable to cope with their superior passing and movement. Up front Ian Wellman created a glorious chance for himself, leaving the 'keeper lying in a heap, with the goal gaping – and shot wide. We then conceded another two easy goals before half time.

During the half-time chat we stressed the need to be tougher in our challenges and win the 50-50s. The second half performance was much better, and we created many more chances – including another sitter for Wellman! The final touch was lacking, however. Dave Welch saved a penalty, but they scored from open play later on.

Final score 4-0, which did not reflect our performance. Still, we can be proud of the huge improvement in terms of both performances and points compared with the infamous zero points season of 2014/15! Roddy Trompiz

Team: Adam Barber-Welch, Nev Spencer, Andrew Hoffmann, Michael Hoffmann, Roddy Trompiz ,ManeepDhariwal, Chris Jerome, Dave Welch, Steve Chinnery, Luke Curran, Oliver Krauss, Ian Wellman

8TH XI THINKING ABOUT THEIR SUMMER HOLIDAYS 8th XI 1 Civil Service 9th XI 2

Our penultimate game of the season but you would have thought we were already on our holidays watching the first half, which had very little action, with the exception of a penalty for Civil Service, and the striker picked himself up to find the top corner, beating the returning Eglon.

Words were had at the break and changes were made. We started brighter and looked dangerous, especially on the break. Our top scorer, W.Adams, had some great chances to level things up but could not hit the target.

Meanwhile their number 6 was jumping two footed into every tackle, which somehow went unpunished. We were then undone on the break, with their striker managing to get round our 'keeper, thanks to the use of his hand, to tap into an empty net, the referee managing to miss all of it as he watched on from the centre circle.

We kept pushing, and our reward came via **WILL GUNNELL**, whose cross from the right floated over the goalkeeper and went in via the far post. We threw everyone forward in search of an equaliser and E.Adams should have had a penalty when he was clattered from behind as he was about to head in.

Once again we were punished by our inability to finish, although some questionable decisions from the referee did not help. James Eglon

Team: Eglon, Playford, Walker, Sparrow, Crombie, G.McGeever, Davies, Jeevan, E.Adams, Jones, W.Gunnell, Mcaweaney, W.Adams, Savage

Reports Table

Team	P	RS	RSL	NR	NP	Pts	Dropped	% response
8th XI	27	27	0	0	3	78	3	100
9th XI	28	26	2	0	6	74	10	100
1st XI	32	26	1	5	25	54	42	84
2nd XI	33	24	1	8	23	50	49	75
5th XI	24	16	2	6	15	35	37	75
7th XI	24	5	0	19	3	12	60	20
4th XI	27	2	0	25	1	5	76	7
6th XI	27	0	0	27	0	0	81	0
3rd XI	32	0	0	32	0	0	96	0

P = Played RS = Reports submitted RSL = Reports submitted late NR = No report NP = No phone