



Midland Football League Newsletter

10th July 2016

Draws for FA competitions

FA Cup Extra Preliminary Round

Saturday August 6th

Lichfield City vs Wolverhampton Casuals

Haughmond vs **Alvechurch**

AFC Bridgnorth vs **Boldmere St Michaels**

Heath Hayes vs **Bromsgrove Sporting**

Coleshill Town vs Cradley Town

Brocton vs **Walsall Wood**

Lye Town vs **AFC Wulfrunians**

Sporting Khalsa vs Hanley Town

Tividale vs Wolverhampton Sporting Community

Coventry Sphinx vs **Highgate United**

Stourport Swifts vs **Westfields**

Coventry United vs **Shawbury United**

Dudley Sports vs **Nuneaton Griff**

Malvern Town vs **Rocester**

Oadby Town vs **Long Eaton united**

Loughborough University vs Shirebrook Town

Shepshed Dynamo vs AFC Mansfield

AFC Hinckley vs **Heanor Town**

Blaby & Whetstone Athletic vs **St Andrews**

Retford United vs **Leicester Road**

Ashby Ivanhoe vs **Quorn**

FA Cup Preliminary Round

Saturday August 20th

Coleshill Town or Cradley Town vs Dudley Sports or **Nuneaton Griff**

Bedworth United vs Malvern town or **Rocester**

Kidsgrove Athletic vs **Lye Town** or **AFC Wulfrunians**

Coventry United or **Shawbury United** vs **Lichfield City** or Wolverhampton Casuals

Hereford vs Haughmond or **Alvechurch**

Rugby Town vs **Heath Hayes** or **Bromsgrove Sporting**

Coventry Sphinx or **Highgate United** vs AFC Bridgnorth or **Boldmere St Michaels**

Sporting Khalsa or Hanley Town vs Romulus

Chasetown vs **Brocton** or **Walsall Wood**

Stourport Swifts or **Westfields** vs **Tividale** or Wolverhampton Sporting Community

AFC Hinckley or **Heanor Town** vs Oadby Town or **Long Eaton United**

Loughborough Dynamo vs Ashby Ivanhoe or **Quorn**

Shepshed Dynamo or AFC Mansfield vs South Normanton Athletic or Aylestone Park

Brigg Town or Clipstone vs Blaby & Whetstone Athletic or **St Andrews**

Retford United or **Leicester Road** vs Anstey Nomads or Harborough Town

Loughborough University or Shirebrook Town vs Gresley

As usual, there are some fascinating ties in both the Extra Preliminary and Preliminary rounds. There are 5 all MFL Premier Division ties with only one tie pitting Division 1 against Premier Division but what a tie that is. AFC Hinckley at home to Heanor Town, two high flyers in their respective divisions last season.

In the Preliminary round, there is one stand out tie which could see last season's top two in the MFL go head to head at Edgar Street providing Alvechurch can get past Haughmond. There was a sense of inevitability that Hereford would be paired with one of our sides and the chance to continue the great rivalry with Alvechurch which grew last season. Elsewhere, there are some giant killing opportunities for the likes of Sporting Khalsa and Loughborough University.

FA Vase

Clubs exempt to the First Round Proper (22nd October)

Shepshed Dynamo

Sporting Khalsa

Exemptions were made to league positions last season

Clubs Exempt to the Second Round Proper (12th November)

AFC Wulfrunians

Alvechurch

Coleshill Town

Nuneaton Griff

Exemptions were made due to performance in the FA Vase last season

First Round Qualifying (10th September)

Black Country Rangers vs **Stafford Town**

FC Oswestry Town vs **Walsall Wood**

Coton Green vs Kirby Muxloe

Ashby Ivanhoe vs **Pelsall Villa**

Highgate United vs **Lye Town**

Bolehall Swifts vs **Heath Hayes**

Bromyard Town vs **Atherstone Town**

Cradley Town vs **Uttoxeter Town**

Pershore Town vs Bewdley Town

Chelmsley Town vs **Studley**

Ellistown & Ibstock United vs **Bromsgrove Sporting**

Redditch Borough vs **Rocester**

AFC Bridgnorth vs **Boldmere St Michaels**

Shawbury United vs **Heather St Johns**

Barnt Green Spartak vs **Cadbury Athletic**

Racing Club Warwick vs **Coventry United**

Malvern Town vs **Tividale**

Bardon Hill vs **Littleton**

Brocton vs Eccleshall

Continental Star vs Wolverhampton Casuals

Stourport Swifts vs Smethwick

Clay Cross Town vs **Leicester Road**

Loughborough University vs Arnold Town

Rainworth Miners Welfare vs **Heanor Town**

Barrow Town vs **St Andrews**

Long Eaton United vs South Normanton Athletic

Holbrook Sports vs **AFC Hinckley**

Second Round Qualifying (24th September)

Hanley Town vs AFC Bridgnorth or **Boldmere St Michaels**

Cradley Town or **Uttoxeter Town** vs Dudley Town or Wellington Amateurs

Tipton Town vs Ellistown & Ibstock United or **Bromsgrove Sporting**

Birstall United vs Malvern town or **Tivdale**

Redditch Borough or **Rocester** vs Black Country Rangers or **Stafford Town**

FC Oswestry Town or **Walsall Wood** vs Ellesmere Rangers or Pegasus Juniors

Stourport Swifts or Smethwick vs **Barnt Green Spartak** or **Cadbury Athletic**

Paget Rangers vs **Highgate United** or **Lye Town**

Coventry Copsewood vs Bromyard Town or **Atherstone Town**

Lutterworth Athletic or Stone Old Allevnians vs Ashby Ivanhoe or **Pelsall Villa**

Racing Club Warwick or **Coventry United** vs Wednesfield

Coton Green or Kirby Muxloe vs Bardon Hill or **Littleton**

Shawbury United or **Heather St Johns** vs **Coventry Sphinx**

Continental Star or Wolverhampton Casuals vs Bilston Town

Brocton or Eccleshall vs **Chelmsley Town** or **Studley**

Bolehall Swifts or **Heath Hayes** vs Shifnal town or Gornal athletic

Westfields vs Dudley Sports

Whitchurch Alport or Wellington vs **Lichfield City**

Pershore Town or Bewdley Town vs Wolverhampton Sporting Community

Clay Cross Town or **Leicester Road** vs West Bridgford

Rainworth Miners Welfare or **Heanor Town** vs Graham St Prims or Kimberley Miners Welfare

Anstey Nomads vs **Quorn**

Pinxton or Harrowby United vs **Loughborough University** or Arnold Town

Barrow Town or **St Andrews** vs Retford

Greenwood Meadows vs Holbrook Sports or **AFC Hinckley**

Aylestone Park or Stapenhill vs **Long Eaton United** or South Normanton Athletic

